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CONTRIBUTION BOX

Will be Established in Merrimack Square Today

Mayor Howe Acts on The Sun's Suggestion — Many Officials at Relief Depot—Contributions of Clothing Received — Committee Should Repair Buildings at Once

Mayor Howe has taken up The Sun's suggestion that a contribution box be placed in Merrimack square and notified this office yesterday that he would attend to the matter right away. The box will probably be placed on a pole in front of Carter & Sherburne's store.

The relief depot was opened in the Free church, 150 Middlesex street, yesterday and is now ready for business.

The depot is open from 9 to 12 and from 2 to 4 o'clock, when consultations may be had regarding relief with Rev. Mr. Wright or his assistant, Mr. Favor. Identification cards may be obtained from Mr. A. C. Blaisdell, chairman of the selectmen of Tewksbury, at his residence or from his assistants.

Contributions of clothing or bedding were received in the afternoon from Mrs. A. C. Parsons, W. A. Bishop, Mrs. Charles W. Taylor and several others. The committee wants it understood that it does not want cast-off clothing but wearing apparel suitable for people who lost good clothing of their own by the explosion and fire.

The Sun would suggest that the committee change the hours of attendance at the relief depot, as it has knowledge of the fact that 9 to 12 and 2 to 4, while convenient, perhaps for the kind-hearted people who are attending to the relief work, are not at all convenient for those to be relieved. As an instance we quote the case of a woman, the mother of six children, who is employed in the carpet mill. She asked out this morning for 15 minutes to run over to this office to make known her loss. Her only opportunity to visit the relief depot is during the noon hour and after 6 o'clock in the evening. The relief depot is closed during the noon hour and after 4 in the afternoon. This is but one case among several and The Sun would suggest that the depot be kept open during the noon hour and for an hour in the evening.

RELIEF FUND GROWING.

The relief fund is growing steadily and shows over $10,000, and the committee should begin its distribution in certain quarters at once and not wait until the fund has been completed.

As is well known many chimneys have been blown off the houses in the vicinity so that it has been impossible to light fires in them and holes have been punctured in the roofs and side walls. Then came the cold, damp rainy weather in the wake of the disaster, leaving many a family without an opportunity to cook proper food and without protection from the elements.

As a result some families have been existing on sandwiches and coffee since the explosion and at times there has been a scarcity of these. Furthermore, the residents, particularly the children, in these houses with perforated roofs and walls, have caught cold and many have been threatened with more serious ailments.

The committee should engage a large corps of carpenters and brick masons without loss of time to go into the devastated district and make these small but imperative repairs at once. Then it should send a committee of women, who can do the work better than men, to provide for the domestic needs of the families. Some agent of the relief work should drive through the stricken district every day to ascertain their needs and provide relief as soon as possible.

Previously acknowledged	$9565.22
Boston Contributions	514.00
From Boxes Monday	57.36
Heirs of Maria T. Stevens	50.00
Fifth Street Baptist Church	40.50
Boxes, third collection	33.43
U. S. Bunting Co.	25.00
Ladd & Whitney Post, 185, G. A. R.	15.00
C. T. Upton	10.00
Elias P. Conant	10.00
Paige Street Sunday School	5.00
A Friend from Conway, N. H.	5.00
A. L. Thompson	5.00
Golden Harvest Circle, C of F.	5.00
Harry L. Fifield	2.00
Unknown	2.00
Total	$10,344.06

FIREMEN WILL AID.

The local firemen are raising funds for the relief of the sufferers of the recent explosion at South Lowell. It is expected that the contribution made by the fire fighters will be a large one.

LAWRENCE WILL AID.

The terrible effect of the recent explosion of the Lowell powder mills was vividly recalled by Mayor Howe of Lowell in a speech given at the reception to the members of the Lawrence city government by the Lowell city fathers, at the Merrimack house, Lowell, last evening, when he appealed to them for aid in the efforts to provide for the many families made homeless by the disaster.

"I hope," he said, "that when you get back to Lawrence, you will not forget the 71 families made destitute by the terrible disaster which has recently visited our city and will help us to keep them from the poor house."

This appeal is one which must certainly receive due consideration. At the time of the terrible visitation of a cyclone to Lawrence in 1890, when many homes were wrecked, in South Lawrence, the city of Lowell was one of the first to give assistance. The members of the local city government were much impressed with the appeal of Mayor Howe and it is probable that some action will be taken in the matter of contributing to the Lowell relief fund.—Lawrence Sun.

NOTICE.

Will passengers who saw the trouble between the conductor and passenger on the car which left Lawrence, Saturday, Aug. 1, at 8 p. m., call at room 7, Central block.

EAGLES' OUTING.

The second annual outing of Lawrence aerie, 2lb, Fraternal Order of Eagles, was held at Wingate's farm, Haverhill road, yesterday afternoon, and for enjoyment and an all around good time it remains to be surpassed. Besides the Lawrence members of the order, Eagles from Lynn, Haverhill and Lowell attended and joined in making the event a most enjoyable one.

NEEDLE IN THUMB.

Phoebe B. Crabb, residing at 667 Merrimack street, while washing a floor this morning ran half a needle into her right thumb. She was taken to the Emergency hospital, where the needle was extracted.

LAWN PARTY TODAY.

The lawn party in aid of St. Peter's parish which was postponed on account of rain, will be held this afternoon and evening.

We call it—The doctors' medicine. You call it—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

WELCH BROS.
Plumbers and Steam Fitters, 143 Middle street. Telephone 373-4.

WANTED—A girl to assist in housework and take care of a baby. Call at 32 Marginal street.

MRS. ROBY of "The Oceanside," Lynn Beach, is fast winning her way in the hearts of Lowellites, and many who were guests there while it was The Bay View under the late Mrs. Roby's management have returned and are delighted with young Mrs. Roby and the many changes she has made for the comfort of her guests. Rates $1 and $1.25 per day.

FOR SALE—First-class restaurant in the Highlands. Inquire 32 Branch street.

NOTICE—The funeral of John Devine of 110 Carlisle street will take place at 9 o'clock Saturday morning from the Sacred Heart church. Friends invited.

UNUSUAL OFFERINGS AT CHALIFOUX'S

Manufacturer's samples of Men's Fancy Hose, in various stripes and open work effects, 15c a pair, worth 25c and 50c.
Men's Suspenders, with drawers supporters, 10c a pair, worth 20c.
Men's Jersey Ribbed, Tan Color, Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 33c, worth 50c.
Boys' Fancy Shirts, with detached collars, 25c, worth 40c.
Men's Fancy Shirts, 75c and 50c patterns, 25c.
Men's Fancy Madras Shirts, separate cuffs, 33c, worth 50c.
Men's Fancy Balbriggan Underwear, 17c, worth 35c.

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POPE'S BLESSING

Sent Through Card. Gibbons to Americans

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 7.—Cardinal Gibbons was received by the pope today in private audience. In a lengthy conversation Pius X renewed his expressions of interest in America, already made manifest by his reception Wednesday to the pilgrims from the United States. The pope said he should like to have had the cardinal remain in Rome for some time, in order that he might become thoroughly acquainted with all questions relative to the United States, but his holiness did not insist, being aware, he said, of the cardinal's delicate state of health and his suffering from hot weather.

In closing the audience the pontiff charged Cardinal Gibbons to carry the apostolic benediction to all the faithful of America.

After his private audience, Cardinal Gibbons presented to the pope, Rev. Dennis R. O'Connell, rector and Father Charles P. Grannan, professor of theology at the Catholic university at Washington, and Father P. C. Gavan, the cardinal's secretary. The pope spoke most affably to each and said to Rector O'Connell that he knew the importance of the Catholic university at Washington and would do all possible to further its interests and prestige.

To Father Grannan the pontiff remarked that he had seen some of his work, especially on biblical questions, while to Father Gavan he said smiling that he had noticed him in the conclave.

Cardinal Gibbons is somewhat indisposed, the weather having become intensely hot, still he has been able to visit the churches of St. Peter and St. Paul, which with yesterday's visit to Santa Maria di Trastevere, was obligatory during his visit, which he must make every ten years.

THREE KILLED

In Attack on Workmen by Cossacks

By Associated Press to The Sun

KIEFF, Russia, Aug. 7.—Three workmen were killed and 23 were wounded yesterday when the Cossacks fired on and charged the strikers who were attempting to interfere with railroad traffic. The rioters numbered 2000. A magistrate, an officer and several soldiers, were injured by stones.

SUBSCRIPTION PAPER

MEMBERS OF COMMON COUNCIL RAISING MONEY FOR GLOUCESTER BLOW-OUT.

The finance committee of the Gloucester celebration, consisting of Councilman Cecil L. Adams as chairman and Alderman C. H. Molloy and Councilman Donohoe, held a meeting at city hall this morning.

Councilman Adams is circulating a paper, collecting subscriptions for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the proposed visit of the Gloucester city government on next Wednesday.

The celebration committee will hold a meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

DEATHS

FLOOD—Elizabeth P. Flood, aged 62 years, died suddenly at Hampton beach Wednesday evening, where she was spending a vacation with her husband and daughter. She was a resident of St. Michael's parish for many years and resided at 34 West Third street. The remains were brought to this city by J. F. O'Donnell & Sons last night and removed to her late home, 34 West Third street. She is survived by a husband, Edward, one daughter, Mrs. John H. Burke, and one son, Charles P. Flood. Funeral will take place from her late home at 8.15 o'clock Saturday morning. Mass at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock.

LUCIER—Miss Lea Lucier, daughter of Mrs. J. Lucier of 76 Salem street, died yesterday at her mother's residence at the age of 32 years and 7 months. She leaves besides her mother, two sisters, Mrs. F. Roy of Plattsburg, N. Y., and Miss Virginie Lucier of this city; and five brothers, Messrs Amedee, Regis, Aylia and Ephrem Lucier, all of Lowell, and Mr. Dolphis Lucier of Napierville, Que.

PHILBRICK—Mrs. Sarah E., wife of Captain Philbrick of 389 Walker street, died yesterday at her home, aged 62 years. Besides her husband she is survived by two daughters, Misses Amy and Carrie Philbrick, and one brother, James Y. Webster of Sandwich, N. H.

KEARNS—Daniel Leo Kearns, aged 9 months, son of Michael and Annie, died yesterday at the home of his parents, rear 258 Market street.

FLYNN—William A. Flynn, aged 8 months, child of John F. and Mary, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 223 Adams street.

BENNETT—Thomas Bennett, aged 63 years and 11 months, died yesterday at his late home in Fowler avenue, Pawtucketville.

DOUGLASS—Raymond A. Douglass, aged six months, child of Martin and Charlotte, died this morning at the home of his parents, 159 Mt. Hope street, Pawtucketville.

GILL—Mary E. Gill, aged 21 years, died last night at the home of her parents, Peter and Ellen Gill, 223 Lincoln street.

BODY NOT RECOVERED.

Undertaker C. H. Molloy's assistants are still searching for the body of William H. McDonald who was drowned while in bathing at Tyngs island yesterday afternoon, but up to the present time have not located it.

THE WEATHER

By Associated Press to The Sun

Fair tonight and Saturday; fresh south to west winds.

CASEY POURS THE DRINKS.

A FUNNY CATCH

DICK CASEY AN E. Z. MARK FOR SEIZURE OFFICERS.

Dick Casey, bar tender, wrestler and all 'round sport, has learned to his sorrow that no matter how well you know a policeman, you should never trust him.

Liquor Officers Duncan and Grady called at the saloon formerly kept by Casey & Kearns under Urban hall, City Hall avenue, Wednesday evening, and Casey proved himself the easiest that ever happened.

"Good evening, Mr. Casey," said Duncan.

"Good evening, Mr. Duncan," said Casey.

"Hello, Dick," said Grady.

"Hello, William," said Casey.

"Have you any half-stock?" asked Duncan.

Casey smiled and said he had just sold the last bottle.

That was joke number one in favor of Casey.

"Have you any good whiskey?" asked Duncan.

"Sure thing," said Casey.

"Let us have a little," said Duncan.

Billy Grady smiled. It seemed to him like a great big joke.

Casey happened to have a taste of the ardent in a bottle, just for particular friends, and regarding the two officers as his friends he poured out two drinks.

Duncan drank half of his but Grady, who is a total abstainer, shuddered and lost track of his breath.

"I guess we will have to take this along with us," said Duncan.

Casey laughed. He didn't think the officer meant it; but it was joke number two and Casey was all to the bad.

The officers stalked out of the saloon with their glasses while Dick, after collecting his scattered senses, realized that he was caught.

When Brown heard what Duncan and Grady did, he said:

"I've found it waiting on ice for me, but I haven't found anybody d—— fool enough to pass it over the bar like Casey."

THE COUNTY JAIL

Denounced as a Great Danger

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—"The most disgraceful thing that exists in this country in the name of law and civilization is the county jail. Idleness and bad associations make crime and at public cost we are maintaining free schools of crime in every county in the United States."

The arraignment of the penal institutions of congress was given by Dr. Charles W. Henderson at the University of Chicago, last night, at the conclusion of a lecture upon modern prison systems. Prof. Henderson recently retired as president of the National Prison and since he has made a special study of crime and criminals and has issued several books upon the subject.

"There is no necessity for the jail system," he said. "In Europe prisoners are kept in separate cells until they are tried. Here we herd criminals together and it is a well established fact that many criminals find jail life keen delight in teaching to their less experienced companions the accomplishments of criminal practice. That such a condition should be permitted to exist is a shame and disgrace to the entire country."

FLEET SIGHTED

Rear Admiral Sands' Fighters Seen Off Bar Harbor

By Associated Press to The Sun

BAR HARBOR, Me., Aug. 7.—The presence of the "hostile" fleet under Rear Admiral Sands off Bar Harbor last night, was reported today by a despatch boat which came in for the mail. The enemy was discovered by a torpedo boat destroyer while patrolling and was reported to Admiral Barker on the flagship Kearsarge. No further information was available.

This would seem to bear out the reports that the defending fleet has remained off Mt. Desert rock 27 miles from here, in anticipation of an attack on this section of the Maine coast or an attempt to establish a basis.

Not a superior force is at hand, but the entrance to Frenchman's Bay is being carefully guarded. The schoolships Hartford and Chesapeake are patrolling between Schoodic point and Baker's island, three miles outside Egg Rock lighthouse, thus commanding the entrance to the bay about seven miles in width. It would seem difficult for the White or attacking squadron to secure an anchorage and maintain a basis for five hours with the superior force under Rear Admiral Barker so near at hand. However, this may be possible under cover of darkness and the thick weather prevailing.

GOING TO EUROPE.

The following Lowell people were booked through Murphy's steamship agency to sail from Boston yesterday on the Dominion line steamer New England for Queenstown and Liverpool: Miss Theresa Sullivan, Mr. Edwin J. Otley, Mrs. Annie Doran, Leonard Doran, John J. Donnelly, Miss Maria Mitchell, Miss Margaret Mitchell and Mrs. Jane Allen.

21 KILLED

Wallace Circus Trains Wrecked Near Durand, Mich.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DURAND, Mich, Aug. 7—Wallace Bros.' circus trains were wrecked in the Grand Trunk yards here just before daylight today and 21 men, mostly employes of the circus, including a few of the performers, were killed outright. Twenty more were injured, some fatally.

The show was traveling in two sections over the Grand Trunk tracks from Lansing to Lapere, and the accident, it was said, was caused by the failure of the second section of the train to stop on time. Two sections were traveling near each other and the second ran into the first at full speed.

The engine of the second section and four cars of the first section were completely demolished. Much valuable property was destroyed, and the loss to the circus people will probably be very heavy.

Some of those killed and a few of the injured were railroad eople attached to the train. Those include Trainmaster J. McCarthy of the Grand Trunk. Some of the animals were killed.

The scene in the Grand Trunk yards after the collision was appalling. The wreckage of the engine and four cars were strewn about and piled high, while the shrieks of injured victims and the bellowing of the frightened animals could be heard above the hiss of the escaping steam and the excited shouts of the rescuers. It was some hours before all the injured were rescued from the wrecked cars. Some of them were in terrible agony and it is feared that seven more will die.

In the list of killed in addition to McCarthy is:

A. W. LARGE, Battle Creek, special agent Grand Trunk.

Injured:

Special Officer James Foley of Detroit.

The circus travels in two trains of 30 cars each. After last night's exhibition at Charlotte, the two trains left for Lapere over the Grand Trunk road, the second section leaving a half hour after the first. It was 3.45 o'clock when the first section pulled into the west end of the Grand Trunk yards here. A red light was hung on the rear car to stop the second section. Engineer Propst of Battle Creek who was running the engine of the rear train, says he saw this light and applied the air-brake. To his horror, it refused to work. He reversed his engine but the momentum of the heavy train was too great and with a crash that aroused all of the town near the yards, the two trains met.

FUNERALS

UNDERHILL—The funeral of Ervin Underhill, formerly a resident of this city, occurred yesterday afternoon. The body was forwarded from Boxford, Mass., where he died, August 3, aged 71 years.

Delegations from Wannalancit Encampment and Highland lodge, I. O. O. F., received the body at the depot, and escorted it to Highland M. E. church where funeral services were held, Rev. James F. Allen officiating.

A quartette, Geo. F. Sturtevant, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Geo. E. Burns, and Frank Murphy, sang "Lead Kindly Light," "Nearer, My God, to Thee," "My Heavenly Home." Deceased was an organizer and trustee of the Highland M. E. church. After the services at the church the body was taken to the Edson cemetery, followed by the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, where the ritual of the order was performed, by Col. M. D. Brown and Chaplain I. B. Romaine.

Mrs. E. S. Kittredge, Mrs. H. W. Burton, Mrs. Etta M. Locke, Mrs. I. Hazelline represented Highland lodge, D. of R., and H. W. Mitchell, Thomas E. Boucher, S. H. Foster, A. L. Corliss, Oscar Forsburg, James T. Trask, represented the encampment, while R. S. Curran, E. D. Hill and A. D. Mitten represented Highland lodge, I. O. O. F.

The bearers were Thomas E. Boucher, S. H. Foster, Oscar Forsberg, R. S. Curran, E. D. Hill and A. D. Mitten. Mr. R. O. Adams had charge of the funeral arrangements.

CRONAN—The body of Mary Cronan was forwarded to Orwell, Vt., last evening at 6.42 o'clock for burial by Undertaker Savage.

CARROLL—The funeral of Jane Carroll took place yesterday afternoon from Undertaker Young's warerooms. Services were conducted by Rev. Smith T. Ford of First Baptist church. Burial was in Edson cemetery.

McCORT—The remains of the late Michael McCort were consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral which was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased took place from his late home, 397 Worthen street, at 8.30 o'clock, and proceeded to St. Patrick's church in Suffolk street where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Fr. Callahan. The choir under the direction of Mr. Fred G. Bond sang the Gregorian mass and Mr. Michael J. Johnson presided at the organ. At the offertory Miss Mollie G. Ivers rendered "Pie Jesu" and at the conclusion of the service Mr. Bond sang "Come Unto Me." As the remains were leaving the church the choir sang "De Profundis."

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Callahan. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

WANTED—Immediately: laundress to go to beach. Wages $5.00. Fare paid. Apply Phi Agency, 29 Central street.

LOST OR STOLEN—Yale, cushion frame bicycle, black enamel. Reward for return to 179 Moody street.

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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

SEND IN THE NAMES

For Full List of Property Damages by the Explosion

Let the Public Know Full Extent of Damages—Put Your Claim on Record So No Lawyer Can Question It Afterwards

In response to the Sun's request for a list of the parties whose property was damaged, quite a number have come or sent to The Sun office a statement of the damage to their property.

The list so far as received indicates that the general public has no idea of the havoc played by the explosion among the homes of the people.

It is important that the entire damage so far as possible be known and the Sun will make it known so that three or six months from now, when the claims are presented in court, no lawyer will presume to question the veracity of the claimant.

These property owners who have had glass broken, doors smashed, ceilings and plaster ripped up, must have the damage repaired at once.

When the repairs shall have been made, the principal evidence of damage will have been destroyed. For that reason it is well that all cases be authenticated by being published in The Sun's list.

The first instalment will be published on Saturday. Therefore, send in the name, address and statement of damage to property in each and every case so that the real extent of the loss inflicted upon the people of Tewksbury and the people of Lowell may be known to the general public.

Some claims will be brought under the employers' liability act against the U. S. Cartridge company and the Stanley company. These are the claims of the men who were employed by the companies or of their relatives where the men have been killed.

All these cases are in the same class and The Sun will keep them informed upon the legal aspects of the case.

As stated yesterday, where the injured are alive they must give notice of suit in 30 days from the time of the explosion. Where the victims are dead their relatives must take out administration papers and give notice of suit for damages within 30 days after the administration is granted. Claims for damages to property are not limited as to time of bringing suit; but the sooner the better.

There were a great many people injured very seriously who were not near the scene of the explosion. Many of them have been under treatment by their family doctors and the extent of their injuries is hard to determine.

Not one-tenth of these cases have yet come to light; but they will come out gradually.

Send in your name, address and statement of damages for publication in The Sun's list.

HIS DECISION

Judge Hadley Reserved It Yesterday

And Gave It Today—Found Geo. A. Willett Guilty of Keeping Liquor—Interesting Talk as to the Evidence—Dock Was Empty

Not a single arrest on warrant or otherwise has been made in Lowell within the last 30 hours.

The police court dock was unoccupied today and Judge Hadley remarked on the pleasing strangeness of it.

Only one name was called by the clerk of the court.

George A. Willett, who was tried yesterday for illegally keeping liquor with intent to sell the same and in whose case decision, by the court, was reserved, was in court today to hear what the judge had to say. He was fined $50.

It was the first time that Judge Hadley had reserved his decision in a liquor case and in speaking of his decision Judge Hadley said:

"All that is necessary is to show possession of liquor and the circumstances attendant on the case.

"The question arose in my mind whether defendant was carrying the liquor from place to place with intent to sell or whether there was present intent to sell.

"According to the testimony he had nothing to do with selling, but with the transportation of the liquor, with the guilty knowledge that it was to be used by somebody else.

"The testimony showed, also, defendant to be a hanger on, to have gone from the saloon with a dress suit case and to have returned with same filled with liquor.

"I therefore find evidence sufficient to confirm the belief that his act was a part of an agreement with the man who runs the saloon. He had liquor in his possession with intent to sell it."

Mr. Willett appealed from the $50 fine and was ordered in $300 for the superior court.

ALARM IS FELT

Move to Suppress Revoltions in Macedonia

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 6.—Consular advices received here yesterday from Monsitur indicated that the situation in Macedonia was constantly growing worse.

At a meeting of the ministers it has been decided to adopt measures of extreme severity to suppress the revolutions. It is reported that Albanian troops will be employed in which event massacres are almost inevitable.

The Bulgarian ex-arch was summoned to the Yildiz palace Wednesday and urged to make a final appeal to his flock to deliver up their arms and thereby avoid bloodshed. The menacing attitude of the Kurds in Armenia is causing increasing alarm at Erzeroum, Bitlis and Kharput. It is asserted in some quarters that the authorities are secretly arming the Kurds, while endeavorong to convict the Armenians of revolutionary intentions.

A despatch last night from Constantinople announced that the porte had abandoned all ideas of withdrawing the Turkish troops from Macedonia and is making vigorous preparations to draft troops for the disturbed districts.

A circular note had it was said, been sent out to warn the European powers of the Turkish government's intention.

The note stated that the situation is very serious and although it did not mention Bulgaria, the document is regarded as a menace to the Bulgarian government.

NO COAL OR OIL

PEOPLE OF MAINE DESTINED TO BE DISAPPOINTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CALAIS, Me., Aug. 6—An examination of the Perry-Pembdoke region in eastern Maine which has just been made by Messrs. David White and George Otis Smith, geologists of the United States Geological Survey, for the purpose of determining the possibility of the existence of coal in commercial suantities in that vicinity, shows that those who believed coal in commercial quantities, or oil or gas exist there are destined to be disappointed. The scientific examination incidentally brings out the interesting deduction that volcanoes once were active in eastern Maine.

Like other geological and topographical work being done in the state, the present season, this investigation was conducted in co-operation with the state commission and at its request in view of the active interest of the citizens in the development of Washington coal field. A preliminary statement of the conclusions reached by these geologists follows:

The geological reconnaissance extended from Calais to Eastport while in the vicinity of Perry was examined in detail. This examination shows that the Perry sandstone is teh intest or youngest of the paleozic sedimentary formations in th region. This is the formation which it was hoped would be productively coal bearing, but as proven by the fossil plants, these beds are older than any rock sedies furnishing coal in any part of the world.

While rocks are approximately the same age, viz. upper Devonian or lowest lower carboniferous, in certain districts sometimes contain local accumulations of carbonaceous matter, forming thin coaly streaks or lenses rarely a foot in thickness and of very small area, they are nowhere the repositories of commercially workable fuel. On this account no productive coals could reasonably be expected in the beds at Perry. This absence of coal and fire clays in outcrops is strong evidence against the presence of coal in the Perry beds. Beneath the Perry sandstone the thickness of which is not great at the points where drilling had been done, lie rocks of silurian age in which no coal would be found at any depth. These silurian rocks include lava flows and volcanic ash beds, the great thickness of which furnish abundant proof of the intensity of the volcanism of the region. This volcanic activity was intermittent and continued into the period when the Perry beds were deposited so that lava flows are found interbedded with the red standstones as well as with the silurian sediments.

Regarding the possibility of finding oil or gas, it may be added that the prospect is no more encouraging than in the case of coal.

THE THAYER CASE

WILL NOT BE TAKEN UP TILL NEXT APRIL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 6.—The case of Mrs. Maynard Force Thayer vs. the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance company was before Judge Lathrop in the supreme court yesterday forenoon on two motions made by the defence, one seeking to have the action put over generally in order to have it tried with other suits that may follow, and the other to have it referred to an auditor if the first motion was denied.

The court denied each motion without prejudice and said it could not come up for trial before the April term, as the sitting in September is short and there is no great exigency to warrant its being tried so soon.

George W. Anderson appeared for the plaintiff, who is the widow of Edwin M. Thayer, the young man who died under strange circumstances at the hotel Lenox May 1, having had insurance policies aggregating half a million dollars on his life. Mrs. Thayer sues to recover on two policies in the present suit, one for $5000, the other for $10,000.

Sherman L. Whipple and L. S. Dabney represent the defendant and other companies, who are to fight the claim of the widow on policies amounting to about $400,000.

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A NEW WITNESS

Rumored That Man by the Name of Earle

Witnessed the Explosion — District Attorney Has Talked With Him

Judge Hadley, in answer to a Sun reporter's question relative to the inquests consequent to the South Lowell disaster, said that the medical examiner had not yet submitted his report. The district attorney has not yet collected all his evidence but will be ready for the inquest in a few days.

A NEW WITNESS.

Belanger and Goodwin, now at St. John's hospital are the principal witnesses and it is possible their depositions may be taken today.

'Tis rumored that the government has found a man whose name has not yet been mentioned, who witnessed the explosion and whose testimony will be of marked value. Earle is said to be the mans' name, but all those connected with the government's side of the case declare that they have not heard of him.

INVALID WIDOW.

No hair or tiding of Charles Moore, teamster for Stanley & Co., who was in the dynamite magazine when that exploded, has been found and his invalid wife is still suffering from the shock of the sad news that came to her in the wake of the explosion.

The Sun has already published the story of her presentiment: how she sought to persuade her husband to remain at home on that fatal Wednesday morning.

"You will never come home alive, for I know something terrible is going to happen," she said to him, but he pushed her gently aside and told her that her fears were due to her nervous and feeble condition. "I will come home to you safe and sound," he said.

In communication with a Sun reporter last evening Mrs. Moore said that she had written to her son who is in the U. S. navy stationed in the Philippines apprising him of his father's death. Mrs. Moore has a brother in business at Worcester. He came to Lowell on Friday and will look after his sister's interests. To The Sun reporter Mrs. Moore said she did not know what steps her brother had taken in the matter.

"His pay envelope," said Mrs. Moore with tearful eyes, as she opened her pocketbook to change a quarter for a neighbor, and gazed upon the envelope yet unopened. It was marked $6.50 "He worked Sunday," she said, "and that $6.50 represents four days' pay. The envelope came to me Saturday night.

"I should think they might have allowed a full week's pay instead of four days," said her neighbor indignantly.

"I suppose they know their own business best," resignedly replied Mrs. Moore.

AGAINST McENEANEY

OVERSEERS OF POOR MUST ELECT NEW ASST. CLERK.

In the case of the election of an assistant clerk of the overseers of the poor in Lawrence the civil service commissioners have put their feet down flat and said someone must be elected from the list certified by the commissioners.

The commissioners from a communication received by Clerk Kiley, Wednesday, do not approve of the action of the overseers Monday evening. Indications now point to the election of Timothy Daly as assistant clerk to Daniel F. Kiley, he being on the certified list.

The following is a copy of the letter received by Clark Kiley Wednesday morning from Warren Dudley, clerk of the civil service commission:

August 4, 1903.

To the Board of Overseers of the Poor, Lawrence, Mass.:

Dear Sirs:—Referring to the action of the board on last evening and the conference which the representatives of your board had with the commissioners at their meeting today, I am directed to say that the commissioners do not feel justified in establishing an arbitrary age limit in the certification of persons to fill the position of assistant clerk in your office; but inasmuch as Benjamin F. Towey, one of the persons certified, is not 21 years of age, they have voted to certify to an additional name, in accordance with civil service rule XXX and I therefore certify to you, John D. Killurie, 149 Myrtle street, Lawrence, who stands next highest upon the eligible list. In the examination, he obtained a mark of 85.13 and was born Sept. 16, 1870.

The commissioners also direct me to say that the provisional employment of Mr. Michael J. McEneaney in the position must cease.

Very respectfully yours,
Warren P. Dudley, Secretary.

No date has been set for a meeting of the board and Mr. McEneaney is still at work. Overseer Collins is away as is also the mayor, but undoubtedly the communication from the commissioners means that action must be taken immediately and no doubt another meeting will be held and the election of assistant clerk take place shortly.

No Appetite

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NARROW ESCAPE

How Georgiana Perrusse Avoided Horrible Fate

Remained With Her Brother in Lynn Tuesday Night Against Her Will—Horse Killed by the Explosion

Miss Georgiana Perrusse, a member of the Perrusse family of Riverside Park, had a narrow escape from the horrible fate that befell her mother and sister as a result of last Wednesday's explosion.

Miss Perrusse, who lived at Riverside Park, was on a visit to her brother, John Perrusse of 41 Union street, Lynn, and intended to return home Monday. When Monday came Mrs. Perrusse was taken ill and Georgiana remained over until Tuesday. As she had stayed longer than she had intended she was desirous of returning home Tuesday night at the latest. Her brother, however, begged her to remain until he could secure a nurse, and being unable to procure one on Tuesday, nightfall found Miss Perrusse still in Lynn though much against her will.

She remained over till Wednesday and Wednesday noon learned of the explosion. Had she returned home Tuesday night she would have been in the house with her mother at the time of the accident, and undoubtedly would have met a similar fate.

On Wednesday, the day of the accident, a baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Perusse in Lynn.

John Perrusse called at The Sun office this afternoon and speaking of the explosion stated that he felt the shock in Lynn where the concussion broke a large plate glass window in Lasters' hall.

HEROIC WORK.

Charlie Everett, employed at the Lowell cemetery, was one of the first on the scene of the explosion, and a doctor who was an eye witness to the good work performed by Mr. Everett asked The Sun reporter to make mention of it. He rendered valuable assistance and he it was who carried Josephine Perusse from the burning building, and he went from place to place doing what he could to relieve the sufferings of the unfortunate victims.

DR. WELCH THERE.

One of the first doctors to arrive at the explosion was Dr. E. J. Welch, who did everything in his power to help the sufferers. The doctor, with his characteristic modesty, succeeded in keeping his name out of the papers, but even a man's good deeds will sometimes find him out.

HORSE IN EXPLOSION.

On the day of the explosion a Concord wagon belonging to the U. S. Cartridge company was found in Warnock street, near the scene of the catastrophe. The shafts were driven into the ground for a distance of three feet. One wheel was spokeless, the seat was missing and there were holes in the side and bottom of the wagon where some missile from the explosion had torn its way through.

That a horse was attached to the wagon at the time of the explosion was evident from the fact that a portion of the harness was there. The tugs were fastened to the whiffle tree and one of the breeching straps was in the breeching hook.

There was blood on the harness and on the shafts.

Shortly after the discovery of the wagon, Capt. Kew came upon a badly used up horse in Billerica street. His nose and one of his hoofs were blown off and there was a great hole in his side.

The captain threw a bag over the poor brute's head and put an end to his sufferings by hitting him on the head.

Although the horse and wagon in question have not been positively connected it is believed they were together when the explosion occurred but where and how they separated will probably never be known.

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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

CONTRIBUTION BOX

Should be Established in Merrimack Square

The Sun's Suggestion Endorsed on all Sides—People of Limited Means Will Contribute Their Mite if Afforded This Opportunity—Relief Station Opened

On all sides The Sun's sugestion that a contribution box for the benefit of the Riverside Park relief fund be established in Merrimack square has met with approval judging from the favorable comment heard on the streets and the number of letters endorsing it sent into this office.

Said a mill operative: "The Sun's contribution box scheme is the best yet for it will give all the people a chance to contribute their mite. Poor people are anxious to help out but they will never go to an office and lay down 10, 25 or 50 cents. They would, however, put that amount in a box if given the opportunity."

Another said: "There are hundreds of visitors to Lowell every day who would contribute if a box were established within their reach, but who would have no time to go to the headquarters with the money. The box collection at Riverside park Sunday was mostly in small amounts from people who would not contribute if their names were to be published."

The Sun would again ask the relief committee to establish a contribution box in Merrimack square, assuring them that the people of limited means will be found to be as generous a class as their more fortunate brethren.

RELIEF DEPOT OPENED.

The Free church, 150 Middlesex street, is now open from 9 to 12 and 2 to 4 o'clock. Consultations regarding relief may be had there at these hours with Rev. Mr. Wright or his assistant, Mr. Favor. Identification tickets may be obtained from Mr. A. C. Blaisdell, chairman of the selectmen of Tewksbury, at his residence, or his assistant.

The following is a copy of the identification card:

TEWKSBURY EXPLOSION RELIEF FUND.

IDENTIFICATION TICKET.

The Bearer, Mr..... Chairman of Selectmen of Tewksbury, is known to me as a sufferer by the recent explosion, and is recommended for relief.

.....
Chairman of Selectmen of Tewksbury.
Dated .....1903.

The Lowell Hosiery company sent in a contribution this morning.

SIGHT IS GONE

As Result of Riverside Park Explosion

Mrs. Harry Safford of Wigginville has lost the sight of her right eye as the result of last Wednesday's explosion.

She was struck in the eye by a piece of falling glass and was also badly cut about the head and face.

Mrs. Safford is a popular resident of the ill-fated district and her many friends will be pained to hear of her misfortune.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of the Franklin Debating club was held in its quarters, Fiske building, last evening.

A well conducted debate was held on the following question:

"Resolved, That the introduction of labor saving machines has been a detriment to man."

The affirmative was upheld by John H. Murphy and Hazen G. Pillsbury. The negative by James Riley and Patrick Begley.

Mr. Platin acted as critic of the evening.

Industry council met last evening and voted $25 to the sufferers. The picnic for members only will be held on August 13. Among the grand officers invited to be present at the affair are Grand Regent T. P. Tierney of Cambridge, Grand Vice Regent Merritt S. Foye of Lynn, Supreme Secretary W. O. Robson of Boston, and P. G. R.'s J. B. Robson, A. G. Walsh and A. W. David.

DEATHS

DEVINE—John Devine, aged 58 years, died at his home, 110 Carlisle street. He leaves three sons, John J., Charles F. and Walter J.; one daughter, Annie F., teacher in the Butler school, and a widow, Ellen.

FLYNN—William A. Flynn, aged six months, child of John F. and Mary H., died at the home of the parents, 223 Adam street this morning.

KEARNS—Daniel Leo Kearns, aged nine months, child of Michael and Annie, died this morning at 398 Market street.

PAINTERS' UNION.

The Painters' union held a meeting last night and voted to parade on Labor day. Uniforms will be procured.

RAILROAD COAST SYSTEM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 6.—E. H. Harriman, head of the syndicate which controls the California Northwestern railway, is planning to make that road part of a coast system that will eventually have its northern terminus at Astoria where connections will be made with the Oregon Navigation company's line.

RACING FOR $500 PRIZE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

COWES, Isle of Wight, Aug. 6.—Five yachts started in today's race for a prize of $500 presented by the town of Cowes. The start was made in a moderate breeze. The Bona was first across the line, followed by the Cicile, Thersc, the German emperor's Meteor III and the Brynhild.

Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system or dependency invariably precedes suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nervine will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great Stomach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by F. C. Goodale, druggist.

RUN EXTENDED

CARS FOR BOSTON WILL LEAVE DRACUT CENTRE.

Beginning today all Boston bound electrics via Billerica will leave Dracut Centre for their terminal.

The cars will run on 15-minute time, this being made expedient owing to the double track which now lies between this city and Billerica Centre. The heavy and ever-increasing traffic over the "Cemetery line" has made this action necessary, and the management of the road, ever alive to the welfare of its patrons, is bound to keep right in the procession when it comes to a question of good service.

Other lines in and around Lowell will also receive the attention of the road just as soon as it is possible.

GENEROUS BUNTINGS

VOTE SUBSTANTIAL AID TO THE SUFERERS.

The executive board of the Bunting Cricket club at a meeting last night voted to give $25 and a portion of the proceeds of the Tall Hat cricket game of the two leagues Aug. 15, to the Riverside park sufferers. As a big crowd is expected at the Tall Hat game this donation will be of substantial size.

BATHING STOPPED

NO MORE OF IT AT CANOBIE LAKE.

Dr. Watson of the New Hampshire state board of health and James Ayer of the Salem, N. H., board of health examined the sewage system at Canobie lake Tuesday.

The enforcement of the law recently passed, will be entered upon at once.

Dr. Watson says that signs will be posted forbidding all bathing in the lake.

The sewage now emptying into the lake will be disposed of otherwise and "the state will protect the water supply of Salem in every way possible."

The signs will be at hand from the state board of health in a few days and upon this manner of notification, the laws will be strictly and rigidly enforced.

COUNT MUCCHIOLI

IS A CORRESPONDENT OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Count Mucchioli, of the Noble Guard, who was Cardinal Sarto's attendant during the conclave, has been one of the Associated Press staff correspondents at the Vatican for several years. He is well known in America, having married an American wife and frequently visited this country.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

G. A. BROWN FOUND DEAD IN HIS ROOM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 6.—A man who registered at a local hotel as G. A. Brown of New York was found dead in his room today, death having resulted from a bullet wound in the head, inflicted, apparently, with suicidal intent. He was about 60 years of age. The name "Irving H. Walton, of Tuckerton, N. J." was on a slip of paper found among his effects.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Cotton: Futures opened steady Aug. 11.58, Sept. 10.49, Oct. 9.87, Nov. 9.65, Dec. 9.65, Jan. 9.65, Feb. 9.64, Mar. 9.64.

Mrs. Bagshaw and daughter of this city arrived in Boston this morning on the steamer "Ivernia" of the Cunard line after a tour of Europe.

PAPER MAKERS

Only a Few Reported for Work

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 6—A special from Holyoke says that probably not much more than a dozen of the paper mills strikers reported at the various strike mills for work this morning under the terms of the ultimatum of President Caldwell of the American Writing Paper company, withdrawing the advanced wage scale from all operatives not reporting for work this morning.

It is said, that one or two skilled workmen returned to the Parsons' division of the combine. In some circles it is thought that the water being drawn from the canals, making the operation of the mills impossible, may have acted to reduce the number responding to the terms of the ultimatum, but in labor circles the break in the ranks is confidently believed to have reached its limit under any conditions.

BURST INTO FLAMES

WILLIAMS CAUGHT IN A BURNING FIREBOX.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BRIDGEPORT, Ct., Aug. 6.—Among the duties of John Williams, employed as a boiler cleaner at the roundhouse of the New York & New Haven railroad, is that of replenishing the fires in the big locomotives after they have been groomed at the roundhouse. After dumping the grates, Williams went inside the firebox and there piled up a large quantity of kindlings, which were oil soaked, upon a mass of oily waste and crude oil. Touched by a railroad torch the entire mass instantly ignited.

So spacious are these fireboxes that a man can stand inside of one erect. Williams had emptied some three gallons of kerosene over the pile and had turned to crawl out of the firebox when the lighted torch he carried, with which to light up the interior of the box to enable him to carry on his work, dropped upon the oil soaked wood. Instantly the wood burst into flames. Williams started to get out but the flames met his advance and threatened to cut off all retreat, but he pressed bravely through and managed to crawl out of the box. Both hands were burned to a blister. His hair and mustache were singed and his clothing was scorched.

PLAN ABANDONED

FOR FORMING A HOLDING COMPANY WITH $50,000,000 CAPITAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 6.—The plan of forming a holding company with a capital of $50,000,000 for the Hellman and Huntington Electric lines in southern California, has been abandoned. Senator W. A. Clark and E. H. Harriman were to have held a minority of stock in the proposed company, Hellman and Huntington keeping the control. The interested parties have decided not to disturb the existing four companies which represent the Hellman and Huntington lines.

PLANT DESTROYED

LOSS BY FIRE WILL BE $50,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PIQUA, O., Aug. 6.—The main building of the local plant of the American School Furniture company, was destroyed by fire early today. Loss $50,000, partly covered by insurance.

RUSSIA AND COREA

CAME TO AN AGREEMENT RESPECTING LAND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SEOUL, Corea, Aug. 6.—An agreement has practically been concluded between Russia and Corea, whereby Russia acquires 200 acres of land at Yongampho, on the Yalu river, on a 99 year lease. The application of M. Pavloff, the Russian minister, for permission to erect telegraph and telephone lines to Yongampho has been refused.

The extension to the northward of the Seoul-Wiju railway is progressing.

Previous despatches said work on the Russian telegraph line between Antung and Yongampho had been abandoned in consequence of Corean remonstrances. Thereupon, M. Pavloff objected to the Japanese telegraph line from Seoul to Fusan, which was constructed prior to the Russian lines. The Corean government asked the Japanese minister to have the line removed, but he refused to do so.

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McCORMICK WILL

HIS PROTEGE THE PRINCIPAL HEIR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—By the will of James McCormick, filed in the office of the surrogate of Brooklyn, yesterday, another heir to the estate appears in the person of Charles Drew of Streetsville, Ont. Ralph H. Dunn, a protege of Mr. McCormick, and the principal heir, receives the seat in the New York Stock Exchange and the watch chain, and ring of sapphire and two diamonds which were worn by the Wall street millionaire, who was a connoisseur of art and precious stones. He also receives one-half interest in the residuary estate.

While only small bequests are made to half a dozen relatives, and 21 cousins, aunts and uncles are cut off entirely, there is inserted in the will a clause stating:

"A part of my farm known as Clayfields, at Cold Water, Ont., is to be held for Charles Drew, who lives with his uncle, John C. Rutledge, in Streetsville, Ont., and is to be turned over to Charles Drew when he becomes 30 years of age, if unmarried, and if married, this bequest is to be so arranged as to be secured to any children he may have."

In addition to this, Mr. Drew is to receive one-sixth of the residuary estate.

Neither Mr. Dunn nor any of the relatives, know who Charles Drew is. Theron L. Carman, Ralph Dunn's attorney, says Drew is not a relative. Those of the relatives who could be seen yesterday were undecided as to whether they would make an attempt to break the will.

STING OF FLY

NEARLY CAUSED DEATH OF A MAN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WEBSTER, Aug. 6—Nearly crazed with pain, William Prince of Quinebaug, Ct., stumbled into Dr. Genereux's office last night and after pointing at one of his ears sank into a chair almost unconscious. The physician discovered five worms wriggling behind the ear drum. It took the doctor nearly two hours to extract them.

While Prince was picking berries Sunday an insect, known as the blowfly, flew into his ear and it is thought it stung him and laid eggs in his ear. The worms were nearly half an inch long, and the doctor says had they remained in the ear a few hours longer they would have reached the nerve matter, which might have caused death.

THIRD PAIR OF TWINS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knowlton, of Scotia, a suburb of this city, are rejoicing over their third pair of twins. The father has written to President Roosevelt, asking him to name the latest pair of twins. All of the six children are alive and healthy.

ANOTHER FAILURE

LAIDLAW & GARRIE ANNOUNCE THEIR SUSPENSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6—Laidlaw & Garrie, members of the Consolidated stock exchange, announce their suspension today. The firm did a commission business which was not extensive. The failure was without general importance.

CUP DEFENDER

HAD A SHORT SPIN IN THE BAY THIS MORNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 6—The cup defender Reliance was out this morning for an hour and a half upon a spin in the bay. The Constitution did not leave her anchorage and the Reliance did not venture outside, where it was pretty rough after the storm. She had only light airs to manouevre in.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6—Noon—Money on call steady at 2½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5@6 per cent.

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HUNT FOR NEGRO

HOWLING MOB CHASED COLORED MAN IN CHARLESTOWN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 6—There was a negro hunt in Charlestown last night. It attracted several hundred people.

About 9 o'clock Sergeant Ringer received a telephone message from Superintendent King of the Sailors' Haven on Water street, which stated that a negro whom he had ejected from the place was standing out on the sidewalk and Mr. King was afraid that he would make trouble.

Patrolman Crowley was sent to the place, and as soon as he turned into Water street the colored man started on the run, with the patrolman in hot pursuit.

The colored man led the chase through Joiner street into Chelsea street, where several people who were standing on the sidewalk joined in the pursuit, shouting: "Stop thief!" "Kill the nigger!"

Near Wapping street the negro, fearing for his life, surrendered, and Crowley took him to the station, where he said his name was George Hicks, and that he was a native of the West Indies. He had been a cook on board a steamer, but had lost his position.

Hicks told Sergeant Ringer that he meant no harm. After hearing his side of the case, Sergeant Ringer decided to let Patrolman Crowley take Hicks back to the Haven, where he secured his clothing, and then escorted him over the bridge to Boston, with the warning that if he returned he would be locked up.

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WALL STREET, 10.10 a. m.—Sentiment in Wall street was strung to a high tension this morning and the opening quotations were awaited with apprehension. They showed that protective measures had been taken to avoid demoralization, and many of the prominent leading stocks were lifted a fraction. At other points, however, there were violent breaks, especially in the specialties and some of the market leaders were also under severe pressure. Such stocks as St. Paul, Southern Pacific, New York Central Pennsylvania, Southern Railway, Erie and Illinois Central showed the effect of supporting orders and rose a fraction. Missouri Pacific and United States Steel opened unchanged, but the former relapsed a point. Chicago Northwestern dropped 4, Wheeling & Lake Erie second pfd. 2, Continental Tobacco pfd. 2, Brooklyn Transit 1⅞, Atchison, Baltimore & Ohio and Metropolitan Street Railway over a point and Consolidated Gas, Manhattan, General Electric and Sugar about a point. The dealings in the first few minutes were excited and feverish, but the market showed the good effect of supporting orders.

11 a. m.—The market was nervous throughout the first hour, owing to the occasional outpouring of special stocks which carried their prices through previous low levels for the year. But the supporting tactics were pursued and the market became steadier. Selling was conspicuous in Missouri Pacific and Baltimore & Ohio, carrying them 1¾ under last night. Atchison lost as much and Union Pacdeclined 1¼. Metropolitan Street Railway lost 5⅛, Continental Tobacco pfd. 3⅞, Delaware & Hudson, Hocking Valley pfd, Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste Marie, Consolidated Gas, Pullman and Republic Steel pfd. 2 to 3 points and a more extended list a point or over

Noon—With the announcement that all sheets had passed the stock exchange clearing house the buying became definitely predominent over the selling and the market rose with animation. Only stocks that had been notably weak failed to recover fully. Such leaders as St. Paul, the trunk lines, except Baltimore & Ohio, Southern Pacific, the Wabashes and the southern group of railroads, United States Steel, Amalgamated, Sugar, General Electric and a miscellaneous list besides rose above last night. Wabash, preferred, St. Louis Southwestern pfd., and Kansas & Texas pfd. rose a point over last night and Tennessee Coal 1 1-4. There was a break of 3 1-2 in St. Louis & San Francisco second pfd., and of 2 1-2 in Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie pfd. On the rally the demand diminished to small proportions. Atchison then sold off 2 1-4 below last night and the whole list yielded again easily.

Bonds were weak.

1 p. m.—Selling was resumed on a large scale and about a dozen of the leading stocks yielded to a lower level: The decline was short-lived, as heavy buying orders appeared all through the list and the granges, Pacific, southwesterns, Coalers, the eastern trunk lines and the specialties rose rapidly. Recoveries from the lower ran between 1 and 2 points and the early losses were pretty effectually wiped out. Reading rallied to 46, United States Steel pfd., to 69 1-8, Union Pacific to 69 7-8, Baltimore & Ohio to 79, Missouri Pacific to 90 and St. Paul to 136. Continental Tobacco pfd., declined 5 1-4 and rallied 2.

INJURIES PROVE FATAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 6—William L. Dution, 45 years of age, who was crushed yesterday in the electric freight station of the Rhode Island company, which operates the street railway here, is dead at the Rhode Island hospital of his injuries. He is survived by a widow and four children.

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GRAND CEREMONY

Arranged for the Coronation of the Pope

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 6.—The coronation ceremony will be performed at St. Peter's on Sunday according to a rite dating from the latter part of the 14th century. As the pope enters the church a clerk of the papal chapel holds up before him a reed surmounted by a handful of flax. This is lighted; it flashes up for a moment and then dies out at once as the chaplain chants: "Pater sancte, sic transit gloria mundi." ("Holy Father, thus passeth away the world's glory"). This is done three times. The mass is then begun as usual, but before the incensation of the altar the "Blessing of the pontiff-elect" is pronounced by three cardinal bishops, each of whom recites a prayer over him. After the collects come the so-called laudes, that is the three-fold supplications to God for the welfare of the new pope. The coronation itself takes place after the mass in the balcony over the portico of St. Peter's overlooking the great piazza. The second cardinal deacon takes off the mitre, which until now the pope has worn and then the senior cardinal deacon (Macchi) places the tiara on his head and all the people cry out "Kyrie Eleison."

The pope reckons his pontificate from his coronation day, although of course he is pope from the day of his election.

CARNEGIE'S PLAN

To Aid the People of His Native Town

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 6—In handing over to 15 representative citizens of his native town, Dunfermline, who were his guests at Skibo castle early in the week, a trust deed transferring to them $2,500,000 in 5 per cent. bonds of the United States Steel corporation and Pittencrieff park, Andrew Carnegie explained the objects he had in view in these words:

"It is an experiment, the object of which is to attempt to introduce into the monotonous lives of the toiling masses of Dunfermline more of sweetness and light, to give them, especially the young, some chance, some elevating conditions of life, their residence elsewhere would have denied, so that a child in his native town will feel, however far he may have roamed, that simply by virtue of being such, his life has been made brighter and better."

Mr. Carnegie proceeded to say that he has provided for this experiment in his will more than 20 years ago, but his retirement from business enabled him to put the scheme into operation during his life time. The problem set before the trustees was:

"What can be done in towns to benefit masses by money in the hands of the most public spirited citizens?" If it was proved that good could be done the trustees would open new fields to the rich, which Mr. Carnegie said he believed they would hereafter be more and more anxious to find for their surplus wealth.

Mr. Carnegie exhorted the trustees not to be afraid of making mistakes, to try many things freely, but to discard just as freely, keeping in touch with the masses and constantly aiming to improve their tastes and give Dunfermline something beyond what was possessed by other cities.

KILLED HIMSELF

Revolver Went Off by Accident

By Associated Press to The Sun

SCRANTON, Pa., Aug. 6.—Conrad Schroeder, a wealthy contractor and builder of northeastern Pennsylvania, shot himself today, dying almost instantly. The shooting occurred while Mr. Schroeder was in his room and the family say that the revolver exploded while he was changing it from one pocket to the other. He returned from New York last night and was apparently in a happy mood.

Mr. Schroeder was a delegate to the National convention which nominated Benjamin Harrison for president. He was rated as a millionaire.

CARDINAL GIBBONS

VISITED THE CHURCH OF SANTA MARIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 6—Cardinal Gibbons, accompanied by his conclavist, Fr. P. C. Gavan, today visited the church of Santa Maria in Trastevere, the cardinal's titular church, and was warmly received by the whole chapter, headed by the canon and arch-priest.

WHITAKER WRIGHT

IS DETAINED IN THE BRIXTON JAIL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 6—Whitaker Wright, the arrested promoter and director of the London & Globe corporation, limited, is today still in Brixton jail, some of the proposed sureties for his bail of $250,000 not having yet been approved.

CAPTAIN HOLLIS

FORMER U. S. CONSUL AT CAPE TOWN DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MALDEN, Mass., Aug. 6.—Captain George Fearing Hollis, United States consul at Cape Town, South Africa, for many years, died at the home of his daughter here today. He was born in Cambridge in 1838. When he was 16 years of age he started the Chelsea Pioneer and some years later started the Chelsea Herald. When the war broke out he enlisted on the army and was attached to the first regiment of volunteers and later transferred to the navy. In 1864 he was the first to open communication with Sherman's army while scouting with a boat crew. After the war he engaged in the manufacture of tin cans. In 1888 he was appointed consul at Cape Town and while there instituted the first consular service between the Transvaal and the Orange Free State. In 1913 he returned to this country.

He leaves a widow and three children.

POPE'S PRIVATE SECRETARY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 6.—Pius X has appointed his conclavist, Mgr. Bressan, as his private chaplain, which means that he will also be the pontiff's chief private secretary.

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SHEN STRANGLED

Chinese Editor Was First Horribly Beaten

By Associated Press to The Sun

PEKIN, Aug. 6.—Edward T. Williams, the Chinese secretary of the United States legation, has made an extensive investigation into the execution of Shen Chien, the reformist journalist who was put to death by orders of the Dowager Empress July 31, and has handed Minister Conger a detailed report, proving that the executioners after beating Chien for three or four hours, despaired of being able to fulfill the Dowager Empress' orders and yielding to Shen's pleadings to end his misery, strangled him with their hands.

A Pekin dispatch, August 1, said Shen Chien was beaten to death by special instructions from the Dowager Empress who desired to make an example of the journalist with which to terrify other reformers. The execution was declared to be the most horrible that has occurred in China since the massacre of 1900. The victim was beaten with bamboo rods in the court yard of the Yamen of the board of punishment until the flesh on his back, arms and legs was torn to ribbons.

Chien was 30 years old and had many friends among the foreign residents of the city who described him as educated and high minded. The affair has created intense feeling in the foreign community at Pekin and a strong sentiment against surrendering the Shanghai reformers to Chinese jurisdiction.

HELD IN $3000

Negro Accused of Breaking and Entering

By Associated Press to The Sun

QUINCY, Mass., Aug. 6.—Sam Scott, the negro who was arrested on a charge of vagrancy, but who was suspected of being the burglar who cut Clifford and Heald with a razor at their home last Sunday night, was discharged on the vagrancy charge today, but was re-arrested on the charge of breaking and entering the Clifford house in the night time. On this charge Scott was held in $3000 for a hearing on August 13. In default of bail Scott was taken to Dedham jail.

MUST CURTAIL

Rhode Island Mills Will Close

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 6.—The opinion is general among Rhode Island cotton mill agents that there will be more curtailing of production during September than is probable this month. Mills which are running a part of their machinery now in an endeavor to make their stock of cotton last as long as possible and keep their operatives from straying elsewhere will be compelled to give their help a vacation before the first shipment of new cotton arrives. Some factories are kept going now by a sort of hand-to-mouth buying of the raw material at current fancy prices in a small way.

There has been nothing done in this state yet toward taking concerted action in the matter of curtailing production, but it is considered probable that the operatives in the great majority of Rhode Island and other New England mills will have a fortnight's vacation in September.

TERRIFIC FIGHT

Between Tramps and a Train Crew

By Associated Press to The Sun

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 6—A terrific fight occurred between four tramps and the crew of an Erie freight train between Falconer and Kennedy today, during which Jack Allen, a brakeman of Meadville, Pa., was badly stabbed and one of the tramps fell between the cars of the train and was cut in two. There was nothing on the body of the dead man to indicate who he was except a bunch of keys and a key check which bore the name of Samuel Frey, Excelsior Coal company, Akron, O. Two of the tramps are under arrest.

THE STOCK MARKET

NOT AFFECTED BY LAIDLAW & GARRIE'S FAILURE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The failure of Laidlaw & Garrie which was announced on the Consolidated exchange, was not important enough to have effect on the stock exchange.

George H. Sullivan, assignee for the firm of Sharp & Bryan, said today that he would not be able to make any statement in regard to the firm's affairs today, because of the many details to go into.

PLUNDER TAKEN

Robbers are Busy at Northfield, Vt.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTHFIELD, Vt., Aug. 6.—This section of the state which has been troubled by robbers of late, was visited again early this morning. In Gouldville, two miles north of here, the post office was broken into and emptied of stamps and money. The general store of the village in which the post office was located was robbed. The plunder taken from the store consisted of tobacco largely, although other goods are missing. The loss in the post office is not heavy.

Yesterday a horse was stolen from Thomas Ward of Mooretown. The thief was traced as far as Gouldville and it is thought he was the one who committed the robbery.

About two weeks ago the post office in Northfield was robbed. The identity of the robbers is unknown.

FOR CONSPIRACY

Servian Officer Placed Under Arrest

By Associated Press to The Sun

VIENNA, Aug. 6.—According to advices received here, a number of Servian officers have been arrested at Belgrade, on account, it is reported, of a suspicion, that they were conspiring against the war minister, General Alazkovics, who is said to have prevented the advancement of the participants in the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga.

C. T. A. U. CONVENTION

916 DELEGATES PRESENT AT THE SESSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 6.—When the national convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence union of America met today, the credential committee reported 916 delegates present. Reports of diocesan unions showed increasing interest and rapid growth all over the country. The session concluded with papers on the history of the temperance movement for 250 years by Thomas H. Keough of Springfield, Mass., and others.

IN NEW BEDFORD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 6.—The Bristol Manufacturing company will shut down its plant Saturday noon for one week. The high price of cotton and the low price of goods is given as the cause for the shut down.

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 6.—Exchanges, $20,-542,046. Balances $1,555,553.

DRAGGED HER MOORINGS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 6—In last night's blow the big sloop Constitution dragged her moorings for quite a distance, but no damage resulted to the vessel.

CAN ISSUE MORE STOCK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 6.—The board of railroad commissioners issued orders authorizing the Old Colony Street Railway company to purchase the Lakeside Park property in the town of Freetown, for a pleasure resort at a purchase price of $27,575 and authorizing the Old Colony Street Railway company to issue 260 shares additional capital stock at a market value of $110 per share.

SECRETARY ROOT

Has Final Conference With President

By Associated Press to The Sun

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 6.—Secretary of War Root, after a conference with the president, which extended far into the night last night, left on an early morning train for Washington. This is probably the last conference the secretary will have with the president, before he leaves for London to attend the commission to determine if possible the Alaskan boundary dispute. He will sail from New York on the steamer Celtic, Saturday, the 22nd instant.

The president and the secretary of war discussed at length some points which have arisen regarding the general staff of the army. It was to have decided that Major General Corbin for a time at least will continue to perform the duties of adjutant general in addition to his work as second in command to the chief of staff, Major General Young. A few details of the work of the general yet remain to be worked out but Secretary Root hopes to see the new organization running smoothly before he leaves for England.

While Secretary Root discussed with the president very thoroughly the Littauer-Lyon glove contract case, no information is obtainable as to the result of the conference. The situation was so delicate that neither the president or Secretary Root cares at this time to discuss it for publication.

No visitors were received formally by the president at Sagamore Hill today. Indeed, after dispatching a considerable amount of business with Secretary Barnes he spent the day away from the house.

TENNIS GAMES POSTPONED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROOKLINE, Mass., Aug. 6.—The rain storm which began Tuesday afternoon had not ceased today and the management of the International lawn tennis tournament at Longwood was compelled again to postpone the games. The doubles will be played tomorrow at 3 p. m. The two singles matches, scheduled for today, will be played Saturday afternoon.

The picking of the English double team has also been postponed by arrangement. It is expected that R. F. Doherty will be able to play.

JEROME HAS RESIGNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6—President Kebler of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company makes official announcement that J. L. Jerome, third vice-president and treasurer, has resigned, the resignation to become effective at once, and that A. A. Miller has been appointed assistant treasurer. Mr. Miller will have full charge of all financial matters.

ELEVATOR PLANT BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 6—The plant of the Little Rock Mill & Elevator company was burned today. The fire started from a bolt of lightning. Loss $35,000; insurance $10,000.

Miss Josephine Ronan is at Hampton beach.

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Steward McDonald of Country Club Drowned

William H. McDonald, aged about 35 years, the well known steward at the Vesper-Country club was drowned in the river at Tyng's island this afternoon. He went in bathing about 2 o'clock and after a time those near the club house heard cries and rushed to the bank of the river. When they got there they saw the steward throw up both hands and sink.

An attempt was made to recover the body but finally it was decided to send for Undertaker Molloy and he went to the island and began grappling for the body.

It is believed that Mr. McDonald was seized with cramps. He was a good swimmer.

He and his wife belong in East Boston and assumed their position at the island last spring.

Andrew G. Swapp, secretary of the club, was notified immediately after the accident occurred. Mr. Swapp said that Steward McDonald was a faithful worker and his loss will be felt severely by the club.

DOG POISONER

Dr. French Under Arrest on That Charge

The man suspected of poisoning dogs in Centralville was arrested this afternoon by Inspector Walsh of the police department.

The man arrested was William H. French, a retired druggist, living at 36 Third street.

For several weeks in Centralville valuable canines have been dropping off like bad nuts from a tree, and the people owning dogs in that vicinity have been moving heaven and earth to discover the dog killer.

Mr. J. Gregoire, a stable keeper, lost six splendid dogs and one valued at $500, the property of Frank Merrill, succumbed to poison administered by the man who apparently took it upon himself to exterminate the whole canine family in Centralville.

Mr. Gregoire determined that he would catch the man responsible for the deaths of so many dogs and he engaged two boys to watch a man whom he suspected.

The man was William H. French, and in consequence of what the boys allege to have seen he was placed under arrest.

They took some meat containing a greenish white poison to Mr. Gregoire and told him that Mr. French dropped it near a tree in Third street.

Mr. Gregoire reported the matter to the police and in company with Inspector Walsh went to Mr. French's house, placed him under arrest and took him to the police station, where at the time of writing he was undergoing a rigid cross-questioning.

BOOZE ON THE BAR

LIQUOR OFFICERS MADE AN EASY SEIZURE.

Officers Duncan and Grady made a seizure of a small quantity of whiskey in the place kept last year by Casey & Kearns. The whiskey was taken from the bar.

DEATHS

FREEMAN—Annie Freeman, child of Henry and Bridget Freeman, died last night at their home, 32 Bridge street. The funeral took place this afternoon and burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertaker Molloy had charge.

Miss Ida Laflamme and Mrs. Evie Davis are visiting friends in Lawrence.

Mrs. Minnie Henry and Mrs. Belle Wisner of the D. L. Page Co., will enjoy the sea breezes at Old Orchard during the month of August.

Miss Addie Johnston has returned from an enjoyable week at Littleton.

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ALL HOPE GONE

Missing Dent Boy Will Never be Found

The committee of citizens appointed some time ago to organize a systematic search for Arthur Dent, the boy who mysteriously disappeared from his home, will meet this evening at city hall at 7.30 o'clock. No trace of him has ever been found despite the rewards offered and it is to see what shall be done with the money contributed for the rewards that the committee will meet his evening.

CHOLERA INFANTUM

IS STILL HAVING VICTIMS IN THIS CITY.

Seven cases of cholera infantum were reported at the health department thus far, this week.

CUMMINGS FAMILY REUNION.

The annual reunion of the Cummings family will be held in Hudson, Wednesday, Aug. 19, on the grounds opposite the residence of Mr. Kimball Webster.

Mrs. Patrick Gookin of Meadowcroft street is stopping at the Oceanside hotel, Lynn, where she will remain for the next two weeks.

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PARKS IS GUILTY

Walking Delegate Convicted of Assault

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Samuel Parks, the walking delegate, was found guilty of assault in the third degree today. The complainant was Peter O'Neil, a plasterer, and the alleged assault is a result of a labor meeting. The case has been on trial for several days. Parks was released on the original police court bail until next Thursday, when District Attorney Jerome will either ask for a sentence or further adjournment until the criminal charges of extortion against Parks, to be tried in general sessions have been heard.

OFFICER MALLEY

Testified Against Three Accused Negroes

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 6.—At the continuance of the trial of William M. Trotter, Granville Martin and Bernard Charles, who are accused of disturbing a meeting in the A. M. E. Zion church July 30, which was addressed by Booker T. Washington, Judge Bennett in the municipal court, who is hearing the case, today first listened to the testimony of Policeman Patrick Malley. The patrolman went to the church on the night of the disturbance and he testified that he found the defendant, Martin, in a pew, shouting that he had a right there and would talk.

He was asked to take hold of Martin. Sergeant Manning was there and Bernard Charles, one of the defendants, stood in front of the pew where Martin was and blocked the officers and had to be put aside before they could get Martin.

SPOT COTTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6—Cotton—Spot closed steady; middling uplands 12.75; middling gulf 13.00. Sales 1508 bales.

FREEBORN RAYMOND DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, Mass., Aug. 6—Freeborn F. Raymond, a retired Boston merchant, died at his home here today at the age of 80 years. He was a native of Athol, though his family moved to Jaffrey, N. H., when the boy was two years old. When 16 years of age he came to Boston and later, both in the West Indies goods trade and as a wholesale flour merchant, he was well known. He retired in 1868.

Previous to his removal to Lexington, where he had made his home for some time, Mr. Raymond was active in municipal affairs in Boston, having served in the city council for six years.

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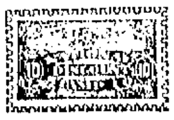

ACCOUNTS SHORT

Postmaster Johnson at Vineyard Haven Deposed

By Associated Press to The Sun

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Aug. 6.—Postmaster F. H. Johnson of this place was deposed from office today and Leavet T. Norton, one of Mr. Johnson's bondsmen, has been placed temporarily in charge.

Mr. Johnson's removal was caused by post office inspectors finding a shortage in his accounts, which was however, paid by Mr. Johnson when he was notified of the facts in the case.

Mr. Johnson was formally placed under arrest. He was appointed to the office under the Cleveland administration seven years ago.

The alleged irregularities in Mr. Johnson's accounts were detected by Postal Inspector Elmer C. Kincaird, last week, when a shortage of a few hundred dollars was found. Mr. Johnson made the amount good as soon as he was told of it, but as there had been previous irregularities remedied by the postmaster, the postal authorities decided to make the removal.

Mr. Johnson will be arraigned before the United States commissioner at New Bedford today.

The citizens here universally believe in Mr. Johnson's honesty and it is the general opinion that the irregularities have been caused by carelessness and that he had no intention of defrauding the government.

PRICES DROPPED

The Stock Market Opened Excitedly

BROKERS IN FEAR OF FUTURE FAILURES

Some Stocks Reached Low Level

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The stock market opened rather excitedly today and there were wide declines in a number of securities caused presumably by fears of further failures. After the first few minutes trading, it became apparent that supporting orders in the market leaders had been placed and the tone became steadier. The selling was especially notable in Missouri Pacific, Union Pacific, Baltimore & Ohio and Atchison, while St. Paul, Southern Pacific, New York Central and Pennsylvania showed support.

Shortly after 11 o'clock, the official announcement was made that all sheets had gone through the stock exchange clearing house without difficulty, thus indicating that all brokers had been able to meet their obligations this morning.

Persistent rumors of liquidation by a "big house" were circulated during the noon hour and prices dropped once more, some of them to a lower level than before. Stocks that suffered most in this attack included St. Paul, Reading, Atchison pfd., Erie, New York Central, Pennsylvania, Union Pacific and United States Steel.

Shrewd traders on the floor expressed the belief that much of today's liquidation was of a new character, the source of which they were unable to trace. It was this fact that excited considerable apprehension.

TRAINING SHIP

BELIEVED TO BE CLEARED OF DIPHTHERIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 6.—The U. S. Training ship Monongahela, which is cruising in this vicinity, so as to be near the local naval hospital in case of further diphtheria cases making their appearance on board, put into Dutch Island harbor under stress of weather last night after having floated around outside for a week and no further illness of the feared nature appeared. It is felt on board that the disease all came from the training station where there is considerable illness among the boys and that the ship is now clear of it. The department is doing everything possible to wipe the disease out at the station where there are upwards of 800 boys.

WAIVED RIGHTS

EASTMAN AND BROWN CONSENT TO EXTRADITION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—"Monk" Eastman and Joseph Brown have waived their rights and consented to extradition to New Jersey, to face the charges of James McMahon, formerly David Lamar's coachman, who was assaulted recently in Long Branch. They were remanded to the Tombs to await extradition.

SERVIAN OFFICERS

NOT ALLOWED TO CROSS RUSSIAN FRONTIER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Aug. 6—A St. Petersburg dispatch says two Servian officers who were deputed to attend King Peter's sons on their journey to Belgrade to join their father, have not been permitted to cross the Russian frontier, the Russian legation at Belgrade having refused to vise their passports, because they were implicated in the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga.

HEAVY RAINFALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TOPEKA, Kas., Aug. 6—A rainfall of 3½ inches over this territory after midnight, has started the Kaw river upward rapidly. Many North Topeka citizens are alarmed by the heavy rainfalls and the reports of rising tributaries of the river to the west and are packing up their valuables and preparing to flee to higher ground.

COTTON EXPORTS

Question Raised in the House of Commons

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 6.—In the house of commons today, replying to William Field (nationalist) who drew attention to the reshipment of American cotton from Liverpool to N. Y., thus increasing famine price of cotton in England, inviting an inquiry as to the effect of the system of future options on the price of cotton, Gerald Balfour, president of the board of trade, stated that the information of the board of trade did not indicate an increase in the re-export of cotton to America. The total quantity re-exported to the end of July was 400,000 hundred weight (112 pounds) compared with 450,000 hundred weight for the corresponding period of 1902. During June and July the quantities re-exported were 72,000 hundred weight and 70,000 hundred weight respectively.

Regarding future options, Mr. Balfour said he saw no objection to the suggested inquiry.

NEW YORK MAN

DOES NOT KNOW DAUGHTER IS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TOPEKA, Kas., Aug. 6.—Ignorant of the death of his daughter at Los Angeles, Calif., last night, Henry Lowe of New York, aboard a Santa Fe special, flashed through La Junta, at 10.10 this morning. The train was making record-breaking time in an attempt to land the father at his child's side before her death.

News of the girl's death did not reach La Junta until the train, already ahead of schedule time and with a clear track ahead, had left the station. The railroad companies' wires were down and up to 11 o'clock it had been found impossible to reach Mr. Lowe.

VESSEL SEIZED

Lumber Men Want Their Pay

By Associated Press to The Sun

ELIZABETHPORT, N. J., Aug. 6.—Five vessels now being built at the Crescent ship yards here, have been seized by Sheriff Cortell on a writ of seizure granted by the supreme court commission on the application of Frederick L. Hedritter & Company, timber and lumber merchants of Elizabeth. The seizure is made for lumber and other materials furnished by the firm and used in the constructions of the vessels.

The vessels seized are the gunboats Tampico and Vera Cruz, being built for the Mexican government; the ferry boat Plainfield, being constructed for the Central railroad of New Jersey; the steam yacht Czarina, building for Charles S. Bryan of New York, and the side-wheel steamboat Happy Day, building for Charles M. Schwab.

WAGNER'S NEW OPERA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Aug. 6.—Siegfred Wagner has finished his new opera entitled "Kobold" (Goblin). The premier will be given at Leipsic next season.

SECURED CLAIMS $200,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Henry B. Ketcham, assignee for the firm of Hurlburtt, Hatch & Co., said today that he probably would be unable to make a detailed statement of the firm's liabilities before late tomorrow or possibly Monday. He added that so far as ascertained the firm has no outstanding contracts on the floor of the exchange. The secured claims as near as he could tell are less than $200,000 and unsecured claims are under $250,000.

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HOSTILE FLEET

Has Not Attacked the Maine Coast Yet

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 6—One-fifth of the time allowed for the war game expired at noon today and the hostile fleet had not attacked the coast between Eastport and Cape Ann nor won the game by holding an anchorage five hours undisputed by a superior force. At noon the opposing fleet has not been sighted. The presence of the defensive fleet was reported all along the war belt. At Mt. Desert rock, 27 miles from Bar Harbor, there was gathered early today a fleet equal to that of the enemy. It consisted of the Kearsarge, Alabama and Illinois and the tugs Peoria and Nina. This fleet would be sufficient to prevent the enemy from holding an anchorage undisputed for five hours if within that time the fleet could be warned and rushed to the harbor sought by the enemy. The presence of this force would seem to indicate that an attack was expected near Bar Harbor.

The probability of Portland being chosen as a vulnerable point is not considered so great as that of some other port on the Maine coast less guarded with the wireless telegraph and better adapted for a fleet wishing to slip in unseen. As last year, the attack may be delayed several days, and when attempted probably will be under the cover of fog or darkness. Profiting by the manoeuvres of last year, the enemy has a chance to distinguish himself. The stretch of coast between the limits is long and varied, consequently it is considered at all possible for Admiral Barker to steam into some harbor where the enemy is expected to arrive and capture him without effort. The maintaining of a close patrol along the several hundred miles of coast is an exacting task for any fleet.

IN THE WAR GAME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BAR HARBOR, Me., Aug. 6—A tug from the defending squadron which came in today for the mail reported Admiral Barker with the flagship Kearsarge, the battleships, Alabama and Illinois and the tugs Peoria and Nina off Mt. Desert rock, about 27 miles from here. As these vessels constitute the heaviest portion of the fleet, it would appear as if the enemy were expected to attack in this vicinity. There is a probability that the hostile fleet might come into Frenchman's bay through Somes' sound at Southwest harbor. It is known that this available entrance has recently been inspected by officers of the blue squadron under Admiral Sands.

The old schoolship Hartford and the Chesapeake are guarding the mouth of Frenchman's bay near the Egg rock lighthouse. It was not the first intention to have the training ships participate in the manoeuvres.

Only the scout boats have gone any great distance from this section of the Maine coast, the superior force evidently being held in readiness to repulse any attack. Should the enemy enter and anchor it would be necessary for this superior force to attack them within five hours.

As the Massachusetts is the slowest of the hostile fleet the movements and speed of the enemy will be regulated by the Massachusetts.

TORPEDO BOAT GETS ORDERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 6—The torpedo boat destroyer Bainbridge arrived in the harbor at 10.15 this forenoon and after receiving orders departed.

WHITE SQUADRON

EXPECTED TO MAKE AN ATTACK NEAR ROCKLAND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCKLAND, Me., Aug. 6—It was considered evident today from the presence in this vicinity of three torpedo boat destroyers that the white squadron was expected to attack some point near Rockland or between here and Bar Harbor. The destroyers Decatur, Chauncey and Barry appeared off Vinal Haven this forenoon, the Dale was at Swan's island and very early the Bainbridge was at Camden. The Bainbridge was reported later at Portland, where she had proceeded from Camden. This accounts for the five scout boats and would seem to indicate an anticipated attack.

NEW SHAMROCK

Shows Her Heels to Shamrock I

(From Sr. Erin via DeForest Wireless.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The Shamrock left Sandy Hook in a light southeast wind this morning for another sea trial.

Lieut.-General Nelson A. Miles and Mrs. Miles were guests of Sir Thomas Lipton today on the Erin. Other guests were several city officials.

The course was set ten miles to windward, south southeast from Scotland lightship and return. The starting time was:

Shamrock III.....11:31:18
Shamrock I.....11:33:08

The challenger got the start by eight seconds.

After an hour's sailing Shamrock III was half a mile dead to windward of Shamrock I. Both boats were making short tacks. The wind increased to seven miles an hour.

The time seen at the turn was:

Shamrock III 1:07:10
Shamrock I 1:26:54

The new boat outsailed the old one by 17 minutes 56 seconds elapsed time.

Shamrock III finished at 2.36.40. Shamrock I appeared to be two miles astern.

RECEIVER NAMED

FOR PERTH AMBOY SHIP-BUILDING COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 6—Vice Chancellor Stevens today appointed Willard P. Voorhees of New Brunswick, N. J., receiver for the Perth Amboy Ship-building & Engineering company of Perth Amboy, N. J.

The appointment was made upon the application of A. R. Ramsey, treasurer of the company. A rule was granted for cause to be shown on August 11 at Newark why the receivership should not be made permanent.

Mr. Ramsey is empowered to continue the business for the purpose of finishing some contracts that are under way. The liabilities are $311,000, including a $250,000 mortgage on the plant. The assets are $170,000.

DEMURRERS OVERRULED

ANOTHER STEP IN POST OFFICE CASES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6—The district criminal court today overruled the demurrers to the indictments for bribery in connection with the government purchase of letter-box fasteners of August W. Machen, the former general superintendent of the free delivery service, and D. B. Groff and Samuel Groff of this city.

Counsel for the defendants noted exceptions to the ruling.

STEAMER ON FIRE

FRENCH MAILER IS AT KOBE, JAPAN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KOBE, Japan, Aug. 6.—The French mail steamer Tonkin, Captain Schmidts, from Marseilles, June 28, via Colombo, July 15, for Yokohama, has arrived here on fire. It is hoped that the flames will be extinguished.

FUNDS ARE SHORT

Warrant Issued for Bank Teller

By Associated Press to The Sun

CANTON, Ohio, Aug. 6.—A shortage in the funds of the City National bank, which it is stated may reach $22,000, has been discovered. The officials of the bank say it will not affect the concern, as it has a surplus of $50,000. Albert W. Beible, teller at the bank, has been removed from his position and a warrant issued for his arrest.

BARGES LOST

THE CREWS OF BOTH WERE SAVED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 6.—Tug Mars was caught out in the storm of yesterday and today came in to report the loss of two barges, the Bradley and the Monarch, but that they were able aboard the tug to save the crew of both barges. The tow was bound to the eastward and when 10 miles to the southward of Montauk Point, it is reported the two barges began to fill and after much hard work the men aboard were rescued before the barges foundered. The tug proceeded after notifying the owners.

TIME EXTENDED

FOR COMPLETION OF SAFETY EQUIPMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The interstate commerce commission today ordered another temporary extension until Oct. 15 of the time within which a number of railroads must complete their safety equipment. The commission will in the meantime consider the further extension of the law and the question of the location of grab irons on engines. Among the roads granted the extension are the Pennsylvania, Erie and the Boston & Maine. The last mentioned company appealed for time for putting automatic couplers on locomotives and making the coupling equipment on passenger cars uniform with the locomotive equipment.

SENATE COMMITTEE

MEMBERS GATHER AT SENATOR ALDRICH'S PLACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 6.—The members of the sub-committee of the senate committee on finance, are gathering at Senator Aldrich's country residence at Warwick, preparatory to discussing the details of the financial bill which is to be presented at the next session of congress.

Senator Allison arrived last Tuesday from his home in Dubuque, Iowa, and Senator Platt reached this afternoon, proceeding immediately by electric car to Warwick. Senator Spooner of Wisconsin is not expected here for a day or two.

In discussing the visit of the members of the sub-committee, Senator Aldrich said that no formal meeting would be held, but that the finance question would be discussed informally whenever it was convenient during the visitors' stay.

SUN WANTS ARE READ BY EVERYBODY

SPECIAL NOTICES

DOUBLE STAMPS, BLUE—All this week; 60 with a pound of Baking Powder, 40 with a pound of Tea, 20 with a pound of Coffee. Dickson's Tea Store, 48 Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Daniel H. Reynolds, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court, for probate, by Hannah M. Reynolds, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court, to be held at Cambridge, in said county of Middlesex, on the first day of September, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this twenty-first day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Situation by an all-round cook with reference. Apply L. B., Sun office.

BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD

Corrected to June 22, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.00, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.30, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.45, x7.50, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, w3.10, x3.03, *3.47, w3.55, *4.02, 4.28, w5.06, 6.22, x6.49, w6.15, *6.22, 7.00, *7.19, 8.42, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.21, 8.48, 9.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 4.25, 5.58, 8.45 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, x7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.23 (to Lawrence only), w2.30, 3.55, 5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, w11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.45, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06, 7.00, 9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.30, 8.45, p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.28, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.23, j2.30, j3.55, w5.06, 6.28 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Haverhill Bridge, Newburyport, Hampton, Northampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach R. R., 2.55 p. m. until Sept. 4, inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 8.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 8.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. (to Bangor only); 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, 7.31, *7.43, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28, 8.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 6.46, 6.38, 7.31, 7.48, 9.50, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 1.56, 4.28, 5.22, 8.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.24, 8.45, 9.29, a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, *9.39, *9.59, *10.39 a. m.; *12.09, 1.00, 1.39, *1.54, 3.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; 12.09, 1.39, 5.39, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30, 9.39 a. m.; 1.39, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.00 p. m.

For Tilton, Laconia, Lakeport, Weirs, Meredith and Plymouth, 7.30, *9.59 a. m.; 1.54, 5.39 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, 10.39 a. m.; 1.54, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, 1.54, *b9.10 p. m.

References:—
jVia Wakefield Junction.
*Express. bDaily.
qWednesdays and Saturdays only.
wVia Western Division.
xVia Bedford. zVia Wilmington Junc.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.
H. C. TAFT, General Agent, Lowell.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A good capable girl for general housework in a family of five; no small children; American or Swede preferred; will be treated as one of the family; a steady, reliable girl wanted in a quiet family. Address George, Sun office.

WANTED—Young man for decorative painting; also lady for decorative design and office. Apply Lowell Decorating Co., 243 Central street, room 7.

BARBER for Saturday. Apply 34 Bridge street.

WANTED—An experienced table girl at once at Mrs. Lombard's, 21 Bradford St., Tremont corp.

WANTED—An elderly woman to do light housework and care for a child. Apply at 67 Pleasant street.

WANTED—Five men of good education and good appearance to take historical data for filing at Washington, D. C. "Record," Sun office.

WANTED—Middle aged woman to assist in kitchen work. 46 Mass. corp.

WANTED—At once, order cook. Apply 290 Bridge street.

WANTED—A woman to do light housework and to care for two children. Call 131 Cushing street.

WANTED—A man from the country used to care of cows. S. P. Pike, 528 Middlesex street.

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WANTED—Lady or gentleman to travel; salary $10 per week and expenses; state where can be seen. Address I. C., Sun office.

WANTED—Good chamber girl, kitchen girl and table girl at 53 Lee street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Small bunch of keys Wednesday night on Middlesex street between the Bennery and Branch street. Return to J. H. Burns.

LOST—Brindle and white Boston bull terrier pup, from Willow Dale, Saturday; age, 10 weeks, answers to Carlo. Reward at 111 Central street.

LOST—Saturday evening on Coral street, a purse containing sum of money and H. G. S. class pin. Reward if returned to F. M. Perkins, 135 Branch St.

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YOUNG MEN to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamp. Department 34 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg. New York.

WANTED—To buy a 10 to 20 horse power upright boiler. Call on E. J. Whitman, corner Jackson and Revere streets, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Cheap driving horse. Call at 50 Grove street Sunday or evenings before 8.

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WANTED—Children to board in country; desirable home; terms reasonable. Address Box 163 Billerica Centre, Mass.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—In Ayers Village, Mass., a 6-room cottage, L and stable, five acres land, 40 fruit trees; two minutes' walk from church, store, post office; four miles from Haverhill; $1100, $500 down. Gagnon & Bennett, 173 Merrimack street.

FOR SALE—Best lot of land, Branch street, for house or business; price $1250. G. P. Walker, 964 Middlesex street.

IF YOU WANT to sell your real estate communicate with me quickly; I have customers; best forms fire, life and endowment insurance written. M. J. Sharkey, Swan building, 26 Central street.

FARM FOR SALE

Situated in Tyngsborough, on main road; one mile from electrics and steam cars; two miles from North Chelmsford; 20 acres, divided into tillage, pasture and wood; can keep several head of stock; house contains 10 rooms, convenient for two families; buildings newly shingled and painted, in perfect repair; fine large barn; hen house 70 feet long; large silo and ice house; lots of fruit; front brook; best of neighbors; running spring water in house and barn; close to large quarry; good chance for boarders, winter and summer; best farm for sale within 5 miles of Lowell; call this week. H. W. J. Howe, Courier-Citizen building.

SUMMER RESORTS.

THE WASHINGTON, Hampton Beach; comfortable rooms by the day or week; cafe on the European plan; all home cooking; souvenir sea shells and novelties.

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"THE LEIGHTON," Salisbury Beach, is now open for the season; good rooms and the finest board.

INFORMATION WANTED.

INFORMATION WANTED—As to the whereabouts of Charlotte G. Matredean (nee Slaney) wife of Joseph L. Matredean, formerly of this city, now of Port Arthur, Texas. Kindly leave such information at Sun office.

INFORMATION WANTED as to the whereabouts of John, James, Joseph, Thomas and William Duffy, sons of Mary Duffy, formerly of Fall River. Address Eliza Daley, care The Sun office.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—The furniture of an elegantly furnished house on the Highlands; buyer can rent house if desired; eight rooms, gas, steam heat, laundry and stable. E. H. White, 137 Central street.

FOR SALE—Good steel boiler, 8 horse power. Call on E. J. Whitman, corner Jackson and Revere streets, Lowell, Mass.

SCOTCH COLLIE PUPS, full pedigree; sable and white. Call evenings at 105 Crawford street.

BOARDING HOUSE on Broadway, near Lamson's, for sale; must be sold at once. Write C. B., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Two large store front windows and three counters; all as good as new; will sell cheap. Inquire at 498 Lakeview avenue.

FOR SALE—Gentleman leaving the city wishes to sell 2¼ karat diamond at a bargain. Address S. 8, Sun office.

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FOR SALE—A large liquor saloon, all furnished, in first class manner, on Main street, opposite the post office, in Woonsocket, R. I.; the place is now doing a good and profitable business. For further particulars inquire at 54 Main street, Woonsocket, R. I.

CAMP FOR SALE—On the banks of the Merrimack river suitable for a family of eight; 5c fare from Lowell; also a boat. Apply 4 Alder street, Lawrence, Mass. Edward Sharkey.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes. Poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

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Also choice building lots in Belvidere and Highlands. Apply to

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The Finest House Lots

In this city are between School street and Walker street, on Broadway, and the prices are very low per foot. For further particulars inquire of

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MISCELLANEOUS

MRS. P. H. COREY offers her sympathy to the afflicted and wishes to call the attention of the people whose homes have been destroyed by the awful explosion that they may have anything in her store at cost price and delivered free. Mrs. P. H. Corey, General Supply House, 197-199 Middlesex street.

DRINK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Boyle Bros. Telephone.

MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office, 855 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

MISS UPHAM, clairvoyant and life reader; card reading 25 cents. 51 Merrimack street, corner John, over drug store, two flights up, room 14.

BARGAINS—Linen markers from 75c to $4; rubber type from 25 cents to $2.50. One-third less than elsewhere. Print your own show and price cards. They sell the goods. J. M. Fellows, 153 Merrimack street.

WE ARE ALL READY for fall styles from $1 up. Caps from 10c up at Delarme's, the hatter, 251 Middlesex street.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 150 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGauvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City Hall.

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MOTHERS—Rent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects. Cures dandruff and itching scalp. Prevents falling hair. Harmless. 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw, 413 Middlesex street.

TO LET

TO LET—Six and seven room tenements at 85 West Third street. Apply H. Carp on premises, or 94 Middlesex street.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 509 Appleton street, Weston house.

NO TIME TO SPARE—It will be necessary to act quickly if you are thinking of changing your tenement this summer. Our policy of putting our tenements in extra choice repair has caused them to fill up rapidly and you will have to act at once if you desire one. Our aim is to furnish a first-class, tidy, healthful home to self-respecting families at the lowest possible rent. If you want a comfortable, respectable home at small cost and where you will have good neighbors, call and see us. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—In I. O. O. F. block, Chelmsford, store and basement; has been used for last eight years as a bakery. Martin Robbins, 90 Prescott street.

TO LET—Beacon street, corner Methuen, on car line, new seven-room two-tenement house; bath, hot water, set tubs and furnace; low rent right party. Apply G. R. Myers' market, Bridge street.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let in private family. Apply 61 Church street.

TO RENT—Four large rooms for $1.50 per week; all newly papered. No. 24 Wall street, facing Concord river. Key at same house.

TO LET—Nicely furnished front room; gas, bath, etc. Call 48 Stackpole street.

TO LET—Tenement of 5 rooms, pantry and bath; up one flight. Inquire 37 Smith street.

TO LET—Tenements on Appleton and Hadcock streets; near mills and depot; cheap rent. E. T. Goward, 274 Appleton street.

FOR RENT—September 1st, 871 Lakeview avenue, six rooms; yellow cottage. Apply to Capt. Reade, 871 Lakeview Ave.

TO LET—Three newly finished and newly furnished rooms; good rooms for nurses or man and wife. 276 Westford street.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 large rooms, sink room and bath room, hot and cold water; surrounded by green vines; nice front and rear yard, with a number of trees and nice lawn. Inquire 147 Howard street, opposite schoolhouse.

TO LET—Flat of six rooms on Rogers street; hot and cold water, open plumbing. Apply 327 Fairmount street.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR JULY

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of July, 1903, was **15,459** A gain of 1952 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Aug 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞ This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞ An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

There will be a big crop of damage suits growing out of the explosion. The lawyers will have a finger in the pie to the end.

Mayor Howe has decided to act upon the suggestion of The Sun and place a contribution box in front of the waiting station on Merrimack square so that those who wish to contribute small amounts for the explosion sufferers may have an opportunity of so doing. Every little counts.

Schwab steps down and out of the United States Steel company. Thinking of the matter from a business standpoint it does seem strange how Schwab could earn his salary and at the same time spend most of his time in Europe. We presume the heaviest draft upon his energies was the drawing his salary.

Congressman Littauer is surprised and disappointed at Secretary Root's decision that there may exist a prima facie case of violation of the statutes in connection with the glove contract now under investigation. He seems to think that a republican congressman should have a license to rob the government with impunity especially when he happens to be a friend of the president.

During the three months ending March 31 there were 300 persons killed and 2824 injured in railroad accidents in the United States. Other railroad casualties brought the total number to 827 killed and 11,481 injured. The Boers lost only 3700 in killed during three years of war with Great Britain, and the moral seems to be that war in Africa is a great deal safer business than railroading in the United States.—Detroit Free Press.

While the figures giving the number of casualties are astounding, the Press man's idea of proportion is apparently very vague.

PROMPT RELIEF NECESSARY.

It comes to light that while money has been freely subscribed for relief some of the sufferers have had no relief. The funds should be promptly applied to the needy cases. It will not do to spend several days investigating. There are cases the prompt relief of which is imperative.

SCHWAB AS A TEXT.

Schwab was held up as an example to young men when he was elevated to the presidency of the steel trust. It was the result of perseverance, industry and so on. His retiremen may also be held up as an example to young men: No man who makes several attempts to break the bank at Monte Carlo can expect anything different. One year's recklessness will undo the work of long years of perseverance.

THE NEW POPE.

The election of the patriarch of Venice to the papal throne is hailed as a triumph for what is known as liberal Catholicism. Having been a warm friend of the late King Humbert, it is probable that he will maintain more friendly relations with the Quirinal than did his illustrious predecessor. He is recognized as a harmonizer, without any preconceived policy. He will deal with matters appertaining to the welfare of the church when they come before him. He is distinctly a harmonizer rather than a politician or mere diplomat. Cardinal Gibbons is said to have urged the objection against Rampolla that he cared more for states and governments that he did for peoples.

The new pope is 68 years of age, the same age at which Pope Leo ascended the throne and Pius X being a robust man who takes good care of his health, he may reign to reach the "years of Peter."

In the opinion of those most competent to judge he is well equipped to carry on the beneficent work of reconciling all the world to the benign influence of the church and harmonizing all peoples and all nations under the banner of the Redeemer.

AS TO NEWSPAPER CRITICS.

The Fall River Globe refers to a species of criticism that is quite common here, as we assume it is in Fall River. It is the criticism that comes from individuals who are always ready to find fault with the newspapers for what they publish and what they don't publish. It is to such people the Fall River paper refers in the following:

"Over 50,000 people, it is estimated, visited on Sunday last the scene of the Lowell explosion. This indicates what a deep interest the public takes in such gruesome happenings. And yet, there are people who are continually animadverting against the press for giving so much space to horrors of this nature in order that their readers may be fully informed of everything appertaining to them. Imagine what the popular verdict would be with respect to the newspaper as a purveyor of news that regulated its policy in such matters to conform to the ideas of these hypercritical people who pose as censors, and would have news of this character reduced to the barest mention or cut out entirely. We venture to say that if this plan were observed they would, on occasions, be as vigorous in their fault finding over the omission of the details as they are at other times because the same are printed."

After giving serious attention to such critics for a while the editor soon finds it impossible to please everybody and finally decides to please only himself, which is usually the best course to follow.

MOTHER JONES AND HER ARMY.

Mother Jones at the head of a lot of footsore children has led her forces to Oyster Bay to beslege the president in his castle. She was determined to meet the president and present her weary troops as objects of his commiseration. Unfortunately the strategem which she had laid did not carry. It was frustrated by the counter movement of the president sending out his secretary with a message of peace to the leader of the army. It set forth the president's sympathies for children and his hatred of child labor as paramount to those of Mother Jones, and that an audience with the leader of the army would be futile as it was beyond the power of the executive or of congress to interfere with the states which maintained child labor.

Possibly the president was afraid that had Mother Jones got into his presence she would have developed the Carrie Nation mania and produced an axe with which to enforce her appeals. But Mother Jones retired in discomfiture with nothing to reward her for her long journey—not even the face of a cartwheel.

It now remains for Mother Jones if she wishes to prosecute her campaign to the end to see the governors of the various states and appeal to them in behalf of the children whose cause she has espoused. But who will furnish the shoe leather, who will supply the commissariat of the army? It really looks as if Mother Jones and her army will have to disband. They can get no satisfaction or sympathy from the powers that be. In the meantime the children must toil on and Mother Jones still lament their fate; but the day is not far distant when the little ones will be relieved, not through peripatetic armies but through the wise use of the ballot, by sending to the legislatures of the various states men of humane instincts, men who are opposed to child slavery, men who can withstand the advances of the corporations without yielding to the temptation.

SEEN AND HEARD

Magistrate Crane, sitting in the Harlem police court, a native of Lowell, is one of the most original and picturesque magistrates in the state. While not as radical as was Judge Dewey of Boston, the police never know what to expect. He gave Detective Liston of the East 126th street station a pretty smart talking to a few days ago.

The detective arrested William E. Francis, 29 years old, of 229 East 128th street, last night for blowing a policeman's whistle.

"Why, I know of no law that prevents a man from blowing a whistle," said the magistrate, when the prisoner was taken before him.

"But it was a policeman's whistle," said Liston.

"I don't see that that makes any difference," said Mr. Crane. "When I am in good humor I often whistle on my way home. I hope I shall not run across you, officer, when I am whistling; you might arrest me. Now, how long have you been on the force?"

"Eight months,' replied the abashed detective.

"Well, I will forgive you this time," said the magistrate, and he discharged the prisoner.

Francis had blown his whistle in order to bring assistance to a restaurant at Third avenue and 128th streets, where a fight was taking place. The prisoner's brother, John, was arrested on the complaint of Arthur Erler, a waiter in the restaurant, who charged him with having fired a revolver during a dispute.

John Francis was held in $1000 bail for examination.

When Billy Delmage, the veteran janitor at city hall, tires of telling snake, caribou, moose, fish and bear stories he sometimes turns his attention to horses and what Billy doesn't know about horses would make good reading for Owen Carney. Billy's best horse story has to do with a battle royal between a thoroughbred and a wild buckskin. The latter was the leader of a wild band and the stallion was a Kentucky thoroughbred that had run wild.

"It was such a battle," said Billy, laying his woodstock on Joe Palter's desk, "as would have brought delight to the brute soul of a Nero.

"With fore feet and teeth the two stallions engaged, circling madly about on their hind legs, tearing up great clods of turf, biting and striking as opportunity offered. At last, by a quick, desperate rush, the buckskin caught the thoroughbred fairly by the throat. Here the affair would have ended had not the black stallion, rearing suddenly on his muscle ridged haunches and lifting his opponent's fore quarters clear of the ground showered on his enemy such a rain of blows from his iron shod feet that the wild buckskin dropped to the ground, dazed and vanquished.

"Standing over him, with all the fierce pride of a victorious gladiator showing in every curve of his glistening body, the black thoroughbred trumpeted out a victorian call of defiance and command. The band that had watched the struggle from a discreet distance now came galloping in, whinnying in friendly fashion.

"Black Eagle had won his first fight. He had won the leadership. By right of might he was now chief of this free company of plains rangers. It was for him to lead whither he chose, to pick the place and hour of grazing, the time for watering, and his to guard his companions from all dangers.

"As for the buckskin stallion, there remained for him the choice of humbly following the new leader or of limping off alone to try to raise a new band. Being a worthy descendant of the chargers which the men of Cortes rode so fearlessly into the wilds of the new world, he chose the latter course and, having regained his senses, galloped stiffly toward the north, his bruised head lowered in defeat."

"Where did that all happen?" asked an inquisitive reporter.

"Just beyond the Lowell line in Dracut," said Billy, as he reached for his walnut colored woodstock.

Hale Sectional Bookcase

The woodwork is well finished and of good construction. The sections fasten together without outside metal bands and have the appearance of a solid bookcase. One section with the crown and base is a complete book home and may be enlarged any time.

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A Cunarder from New York every Saturday.

Discount allowed on combined outward and return first and second cabin fares.

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Company's Office, 77 State St., Boston, or Dennis Murphy, 18 Appleton Street, H. F. Leeds, 5 Bridge Street, Lowell.

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

KEENAN IS HELD

FOR DELAYING THE UNITED STATES MAIL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7—John Keenan, a steamship foreman, who, after signing articles to ship with the United States steamship Admiral Schley, a vessel carrying mail to St. Antonioa, Jamaica, declined to make the trip and in so doing delayed the mail about three-quarters of an hour on Wednesday, was held for the grand jury by U. S. Commissioner Fiske yesterday charged with retarding the U. S. mails.

Assistant Attorney J. H. Casey summarized the case as follows:

"This man disregards the rights of the United States, disregards the law on the statute books as to the retarding of the United States mails, disregards the consequences of his action in retarding mails in order to stand by his union."

Keenan refused to sail with the vessel because he did not like the accommodations provided for the men.

SARTO'S ELECTION

HAS AROUSED GREAT ENTHUSIASM IN HIS BIRTHPLACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 7—The mayor of Riese, the birthplace of the new pope, in replying to an inquiry wires to the Italian bureau of the Associated Press as follows:

"The election of Cardinal Sarto as pope has aroused indescribable enthusiasm here. The people are preparing special festivities which have been unanimously approved by the city fathers. The village being almost entirely composed of peasants has no idea about the policy or tendencies of Pope Pius X and I am unable to give you any information on that point. He was of the humblest birth.

(Signed) "ANDREAZZA, Mayor."

The pope has decided to hold a secret consistory on Monday next and a public consistory on the Thursday following.

A RESEMBLANCE

MRS. MOORE OF PITTSFIELD, ME., ANXIOUS FOR HER HUSBAND.

Undertaker O'Connell is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Charles Moore of Pittsfield, Me., who seeks information relative to Charles Moore, who was killed in the magazine explosion at South Lowell.

She enclosed her husband's picture and stated that he had left home last April and had not since been heard from.

"The picture sent by her bore a striking resemblance to the Charles Moore that was killed.

"The man who was killed had lived in this city for about 30 years, and the husband of Mrs. Moore in Pittsfield, Me., is safe so far as the recent explosion is concerned.

CONTEST EXPECTED

OVER THE WILL OF MARGARET MAGOUN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Aug. 7—A contest of the will of Margaret Magoun of Medford, adopted daughter of the late Thatcher Magoun, whose property she inherited, is expected. An attorney representing the children of Thatcher Magoun who under the will of Margaret Magoun receive $5 each, while her relations are given the bulk of the property, has filed an appearance in the probate court, while Judge John W. Hammond has filed a declination to be executor. Edwin H. Pope who with Judge Hammond was named by the testatrix, has petitioned to be appointed executor.

FIREMEN OVERCOME

WHILE INVESTIGATING A SUPPOSED FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TIFFIN, O., Aug. 6.—Fire Chief Weimer, Capt. Gregg and four other men were overcome by carbonic gas today while investigating a supposed fire in Wilson's cold storage plant. All are in serious condition.

ONLY SIXTEEN LEFT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 7—The third day's play in the western golf tournament was narrowed down to 16 contestants. Chandler Egan had the easiest match of his week's play with Tweedie. Egan had him five down at the turn and won the match seven up and six to play.

A keen match was the one between W. Egan and W. Carhart. At the turn Egan was three up and was playing steadily. He played a fine game on the green, while Carhart was weak on his putting and approaching.

E. Byers had J. Town five down at the turn.

Champion Louis James had an easy time with Joseph Bolo, Cleveland, and will apparently win easily.

CONGRATULATIONS TO POPE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 7—At a quarterly meeting of the board of supreme trustees of the Ladies' Catholic Benevolent association of the United States yesterday, a cablegram of congratulation was sent to the newly elected pope, Pius X.

Kennedy's Oysterettes

The Oyster Cracker with a taste to it.

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BRUTAL ATTACK

Made on Strikers in Southern Russia

THEY WERE TRAMPLED UNDER HORSES' FEET

Also Were Whipped by the Cossacks

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The Daily Mail's Nikolaieff correspondent, under date of August 2, fully confirms the Times correspondent's accounts of strikes in southern Russia. The correspondent says that a quarter of a million men are affected, and that simultaneously strikes occurred over a vast industrial area. The strikers, on the whole, have preserved exemplary order, but this, however, has not served them from having attacks, directed by Gen. Arsenioff, governor of Odessa. Groups of men who assembled last Saturday with the intention of holding a meeting, were driven into a solid mass by 500 Cossacks, backed by two lines of infantry with fixed bayonets. About 2000 strikers, being thus enclosed by a double cordon, the Cossacks rode through them, striking right and left with heavy whips, the fallen men being trampled under the horses' feet.

"When the living mass had been thoroughly kneaded to the governor's will," continued the correspondent, "numerous men were arrested as suspected agitators. The infantry then marched off and the strikers scattered in a dozen directions with Cossacks at their heels. It is reported that 400 strikers were more or less seriously injured and from from six to a dozen succumbed. The whole affair is a typical piece of administrative savagery.

At Odessa the police and gendarmes belonging to one depot threatened to off their uniforms and risk all the terrors of insubordination unless the miserable pittance of eleven to fourteen pence which they are allowed daily was increased and the hours of labor reduced. Siberia is losing its terrors even for Russian policemen.

"The epidemic of incendiarism is spreading through Russia. In twenty-four of the largest towns the damage by fire during the past months is estimated at from $30,000,000 to $35,000,000. The object of the bulk of the fires is to get insurance money. Many of the incendiaries are Jews and the insurance companies in some cases have raised premiums fifty per cent."

OFFICERS CHOSEN

Postmasters Will Meet in Atlantic City

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7—At last evening's session the postmasters were addressed by Third Assistant Postmaster General Edward C. Madden and Auditor Henry A. Castle of the post office department. Committee reports were received and it was voted to hold the 1904 convention at Atlantic City, N. J. These officers were then elected:

President, F. B. Dickerson, Detroit, Mich.

First vice-president, W. E. Hull, Peoria, Ill.

Second vice-president, A. W. Wills, Washington, D. C.

Third vice-president, H. B. Odell, Newburg, N. Y.

Fourth vice-president, G. A. Hibbard, Boston.

Treasurer, T. C. Lawler, Rockford, Ill.

Secretary, W. E. Springer, Detroit.

BUILDERS' LEAGUE

WITHDREW PLAN FOR SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Aug. 7.—Unexpected developments in the peace move of the Builders' Exchange league caused a fresh break in the plans for the general resumption of operations next week. After the proposals for the ending of the lock-out had been sent to the Building Trades council Wednesday which stipulated that the league should employ only union hoisting engineers pending a settlement of the scale, it was discovered with one exception, not a contractor in the city was employing union engineers as such. No attention had been paid to the other contractors by the workmen, but they singled out A. and S. Wilson as the firm to attack and compel the signing of the union scale before anyone else.

The discrimination against Wilson and company was not relished by the league members and when a reply to the proposition made by the league for a settlement was received at the Builders' Exchange, the league decided to withdraw the whole plan and stand on the original ground which demanded that the workmen of all trades return to work on the Wilson contracts on exactly the same conditions as existed before the strike began. This withdrawal of the peace proposition places the lockout in the same position it was a week ago and the fight is still on.

NOT HIS STORE

COUNCILMAN BARRY NOT PLEASED WITH REPORT OF SEIZURE.

Councilman James Barry takes exceptions to the report of the seizure made at the saloon formerly kept by him in Market street. The Sun intimated that Mr. Barry was the present occupant of the store and he says such is not the case. Mr. Barry says he has nothing whatever to do with the store, having transferred it to William Fury, and that the store was closed from May 1 to July 17.

MONEY FOR SENATOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 7.—Returns received by the Commercial Appeal from Mississippi indicate the nomination of H. D. Money for United States senator and J. K. Vardaman for governor.

LAWN PARTY POSTPONED.

The lawn party scheduled to be held last night by the Lawrence and District Union for the aid of the explosion sufferers in Lowell, was postponed because of the inclement weather.

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166 Central Street

A Money Saving Opportunity in Neglige Shirts

The finest lot of Neglige Shirts it has ever been our good fortune to sell at such a low price as 29 cents.

We have sold nearly two thousand of these shirts in the past ten days and the balance, about sixty dozens, go on sale today.

The patterns are good; there isn't a poor one in the lot. Materials are woven Madras and Argyles; every shirt is cut a full generous yard in length, and from 46 to 48 inches wide; they're big and roomy, splendidly made, double stitched; felled seams; gussetted; have cushioned neck bands; separate cuffs—50 cent and 75 cent qualities every one of them—
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Cut the same few generous sizes as our Men's goods, made in the same excellent manner, neat and pretty patterns that will please every mother and every boy; with a good many of these boys' shirts you can have two separate laundered collars to match the shirts. Actual value 50 cents, these in sizes 12 to 14, all offered for. . 25 cents

Just the time to get shirts for schoolwear; there will not be one left when you want them in September.

Some Smart Bargains in Men's Summer Hose

We put on sale today 6 cases or 480 dozens, or 5760 pairs of excellent summer hose. While many of the hosiery mills have stopped and others have advanced their prices from 15 to 25 per cent., we offer this great lot of hose on the basis of the prices we paid months ago, in preparation for this event.

80 Dozens men's fast black well known Sterling Hose, nicely made seamless stockings, regularly sold for 10 cents, this lot

7 cents a pair or 4 pairs for 25 cents

100 Dozens men's fast black hose, lisle finish high spliced heels and toes, very fine guage; **60 dozen** cadet blue hose, lisle finish, and **40 dozen** fast black seamless hose, silk embroidered; these three lots of hose that regularly sell for 20 cents a pair, we offer for

10 cents a pair or 3 pairs for 25 cents

100 dozens men's fast black silk lisle finish hose, high spliced heels and toes. **100 dozens** fast black, lace top, silk lisle finish hose, high spliced heels and toes; very fine guage, combed yarns. Regular price 25 cents a pair, in this sale at **12 1-2 cents a pair**

HOLD ON MR. MAYOR

Committee on Accounts Call an Emphatic Halt

His Honor Refuses to Meet the Committee and Sent a Real Sharp Letter—Fourth of July Salute the Cause of It

The joint committee on accounts and Mayor Charles E. Howe are not of the same mind and because the committee's mind does not flow in the same channel with his the city's chief executive is madder than a hatter.

Ordinarily the mayor's face is cheerful, but no thunder storm that ever made feathery billows on Lake Mascupple was half so dark as was Mr. Howe's countenance when he received the committee on accounts' communication asking him to step up to its august presence and explain why he ordered a salute fired on the Fourth of July.

The committee met yesterday, frowned on the salute bill and forwarded the following letter to his honor, the mayor:

Lowell, Mass., August 5, 1903.
Hon. Charles E. Howe, Mayor.
Dear Sir:—

At a meeting of the Joint Committee on Accounts held on even date, approval of a bill for $125, against appropriation for incidentals in favor of Lowell Mechanic Phalanx, was withheld.

The next meeting of the committee will be held Wednesday, August 12, 1903, at 10 a. m., and it was voted that you be invited to be present at the time, then to give information upon the bill referred to.

Respectfully yours,
FRANK M. DOWLING,
Clerk of Committees.

They do tell that it was just a shade warm in the mayor's office when that letter arrived. The king of the municipal palace hollered to his faithful secretary and told him to answer the committee's letter. He intimated to his secretary that he wanted to make the committee feel a good deal less than thirty cents and the secretary broke loose as follows:

Lowell, August 6, 1903.
Messrs. Alderman James J. Gallagher, Councilmen Patrick F. Welch and Charles H. Worcester, Joint Committee on Accounts,

Gentlemen: I have to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from your committee dated the 5th inst., and signed by Frank M. Dowling, Clerk of Committees. The bill speaks for itself. As mayor of an American city I decline emphatically and absolutely to appear before your committee to discuss either the discretion or authority of the chief magistrate to order a salute fired at the public expense upon the occasion of an anniversary of American Independence. I remain

Yours truly,
CHARLES E. HOWE,
Mayor.

The committee, however, feels that it is their duty to question certain bills that come before them and simply wanted to find if there was any legal warrant for paying the bill. The mayor's reply throws no light on this point.

PARTED 30 YEARS

DR. FREEMAN WEDS DR. ELIZABETH JANET CHILD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BURLINGTON, Vt., Aug. 7.—Dr. Daniel Freeman of Chicago and Dr. Elizabeth Janet Child of Bethel were married yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was one of uncommon interest.

Dr. and Mrs. Freeman are each more than 60 years old, and in their youthful days were lovers, but because their letters were intercepted by a jealous girl they drifted apart and did not see each other for more than 30 years, during which time Dr. Freeman had married and buried a wife.

The wedding took place at 3 o'clock and a general invitation was extended to the public, not only to attend the wedding but also the reception held at the home of Dr. Child.

One of the features of the wedding was the presence of Sarah Chapman, aged 101, who acted as bridemaid.

Dr. Freeman and Miss Child met 40 years ago, when the latter was a pupil at the state normal school. At that time a very intimate friendship sprung up and it soon ripened into love, concluding in an engagement.

Dr. Freeman went to Chicago and went into business. He continued to correspond with Miss Child, but had in his employ a young woman who became jealous of him and letters from him to Miss Child and from Miss Child to him were intercepted.

As a result both thought that the affections of the other had been alienated and the correspondence was dropped. Dr. Freeman married and lived in Chicago until his wife died, a few months ago. He then came east, and during the course of his visit met Miss Child, who had become a doctor, and their intimacy was renewed, culminating in marriage.

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Speedily cured by Cuticura Soap, to cleanse the skin, Cuticura Ointment, to heal the skin, and

CUTICURA PILLS

To cool and cleanse the blood, when the best physicians and all else fail.

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Fine Lawn Waists, formerly sold at $1.49, $1.98 and $2.98, now 49c

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Ladies' Wash Suits, formerly sold at $4.98 and $6.98, now $2.98
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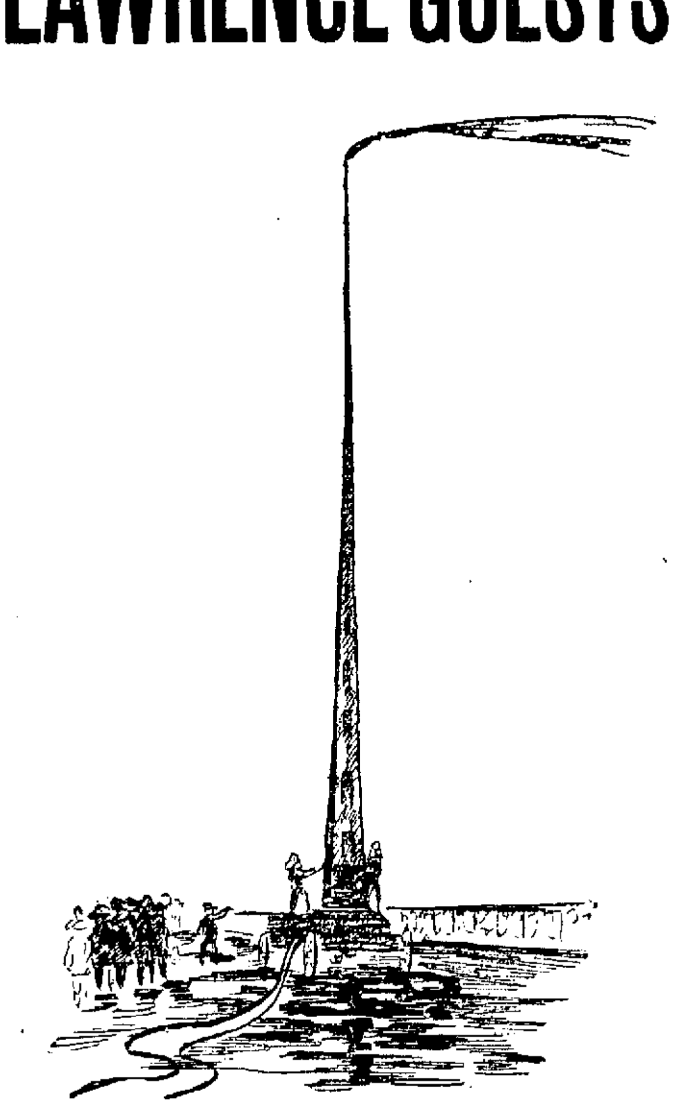

THE WATER TOWER ON EXHIBITION.

Witnessed Exhibition of the Water Tower

Members of the Lawrence city government, members of the fire department and newspapermen of the down river city, made a trip to this city yesterday to see the workings of the water tower belonging to the local fire department.

Some time ago the board of aldermen of Lawrence voted to purchase a water tower for the fire department, but when the resolution came before Mayor Grant, that official returned the same without his approval. The aldermen thought that the city of Lawrence was in need of a water tower but wished to see the working of the local water tower before going ahead and adopting the resolution over the mayor's disapproval.

The officials communicated with Mayor Howe and Chief Hosmer, of the fire department and both of the local officials informed the Lawrence officials that they would be pleased to explain the workings of the water tower and also the entire fire department system.

The visitors were met at the square by the members of the fire department committee. Aldermen Richard J. McCluskey and James G. Hill and Councilmen C. Fred Hard, W. J. Hayes and Timothy Donohoe, Chief Hosmer, Assistant Chief Norton, Aldermen Gallagher and Casey and many others of the local government. The Lowell people boarded the special car which went up to the new Aiken street extension, where all disembarked.

Here the party was met by His Honor Mayor Howe and several other members of the government, and escorted to the new Aiken street bridge over the north canal, where all was in readiness for a display of the water tower.

The tower was placed on the bridge while on the side was located engines 3 and 6 of the fire department. The hose and all connections were made and for more than an hour the visitors were treated to a rare sight.

The tower under the direction of a squad of firemen from the Palmer street engine house, was raised and lowered with the greatest celerity, the different nozzles were used and the power of the stream and the distance it could be thrown astonished the Lawrence statesmen and especially some of the members of their fire department.

The demonstration was quite successful.

After the exhibition on the Aiken street bridge the visitors were escorted to City hall, where the mayor again received them. They were shown through the various chambers of the municipal building. The Central fire station was next visited, and here again the Lawrence people were surprised to find that our equipment was strictly up to date.

A trip to the ruins and a lunch at the Merrimack House, where the down river gentlemen were the guests of His Honor, Mayor Howe, completed the day's official visit. The party returned about eight to Lawrence.

Among the Lawrence people present were the following: Chief Charles G. Rutter of the fire department, City Clerk C. J. Corcoran, City Auditor R. J. Shea, Maurice Dorgan of the Lawrence American, Timothy Daley of the Lawrence Eagle, First Assistant Chief John W. Towle of the fire department, Electrician Bert Hasty of the fire department, William W. Smith, George H. Richards of the Lawrence Telegram, C. H. Hollihan, Aldermen Cusack, Hart, LaPlade, Vicer and Belnap, Councilmen Salisbury, Guy, O'Neil, Finnegan, Dooley, White, Kelleher, Tetler and Knowles, Representative Flen J. J. Connor of the Lawrence Sunday Register and J. Rodney Ball of the Lawrence Sun. Among the Lowell officials present who have not already been mentioned were Councilmen Frank A. McLaughlin, Samuel Fleming, Edmond Fontaine, President of the Common Council Cecil L. Adams, William Brown, Clerk of Committees F. M. Dowling, Inspector of Wires James McElholm, Superintendent of Public Buildings James B. Conlon, Private Secretary Edwards Cheney, City Messenger Pattee and many newspapermen.

THICK AND FAST

REVERE MAN ARRESTED TWICE WITHIN AN HOUR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

REVERE, Aug. 7.—Thomas H. Roberts was twice arrested within an hour yesterday afternoon. He is the present occupant of the hotel formerly known as the Lincoln house, which was raided lately by the state police. Last year Mr. Oakes, now chief of police, managed the property as the Goodwin Sisters hotel, and previously to that it was run for many years by Roberts.

Yesterday Constable Mugford served a writ of replevin on some goods in the building claimed as the property of the Goodwin Sisters. Chief Oakes and Patrolman McCrystal went with the constable, and their presence in the hotel is said to have angered Roberts.

According to the story told by the officers, Roberts aimed a blow at Oakes' face, which the officer partially dodged. Roberts was arrested and taken to the station charged with assault on an officer.

He obtained bail and returned to the hotel before the constable and other officers had finished their work. More words passed between them, and in a few minutes Roberts was again on the way to the police station charged with disturbing the peace and using profane language. On these charges he is under $250 bonds to appear in the Chelsea court tomorrow morning.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH PICNIC.

The annual picnic of St. Mary's parish of Collinsville will take place tomorrow at Mountain Rock. A good program has been arranged and besides a long list of sports, includes dancing, afternoon and evening, music and other forms of enjoyment.

The admission to the grounds is twenty-five cents.

BASE BALL SPALDING PARK

LEAGUE GAME.

SATURDAY—New Bedford vs. Lowell

Game Called at 3.30 o'clock.

Admission 25c.

THE RACE ISSUE

Prominent Factor in Next Campaign

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The evident purpose of many representative democrats of the south to make the race question a leading issue in the next presidential campaign excites much interest among politicians here. The recent race riots in certain northern and western states are regarded by these democrats as indicating a spirit of hostility to the negro, and as an exhibition of race prejudice to which the democrats may successfully appeal in a national political contest. That the republican party would not hesitate to meet such an issue is declared to be certain.

Several well known democratic members of congress from southern states have, within a few days, expressed the opinion that the democrats in the coming session of congress would force the republicans to declare whether they supported the president in his position on the negro question and whether they are the "black man's party in the north as well as in the south." These democratic congressmen, especially those from the border states, assert that what they call the republican affiliation with the negro will lose that party many white voters in the next election. The race question has kept the south solid, they declare, ever since the civil war and they believe that the issue raised in northern states containing a large percentage of negro population would give the democrats greatly increased strength and a good chance for success in the coming campaign.

In those sections of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Maryland and other states where the black vote is considerable and where clashes have occurred between negroes and whites the democrats will bring forward the argument that the republican party, and especially President Roosevelt, is encouraging and supporting the negro in his renewed activity in political affairs and in the recognition which follows such prominence.

The effect of raising this question, however, in the opinion of many conservative democrats, would be to enlist in behalf of the black man a strong section of the democratic party in the northern states, where the issue would be likely to be repudiated by thoughtful people regardless of party affiliations. The southern democrats are aware of the opposition among the northern leaders of the democratic party to bringing this issue to the front, but they evidently intend to precipitate a debate upon it in congress next winter in the hope of forcing it to the front as a leading question in 1904.

"MAJOR" TAYLOR WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 7—"Major" Taylor last night won the final in the International Criterium cycle race after a fine struggle. Grogna was second, Meyers third and Ellegard fourth.

MANCHESTER MAN DROWNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, Mass., Aug. 7.—Charles Knight, aged 33, was drowned yesterday afternoon by the capsizing of a rowboat in the harbor. Three companions swam ashore.

FREE OUTING FOR CHILDREN.

A free day's outing will be given the children of St. Michael's parish tomorrow at Mountain Rock. Special cars will leave the corner of Bridge and Sixth streets at one o'clock.

Constipation

Its Cause and Cure

Cathartics and Purgatives Soon Lose Their Effect and Do More Harm Than Good.

Nature has provided only one way to get food into the system.

The necessity of getting rid of the waste products, poisons if they remain—is emphasized by the fact that she has provided four ways to get rid of them.

The bowels, the kidneys and bladder, the pores of the skin and the lungs all unite to keep the system clear of waste matter.

If the bowels become inactive, that portion of the food which should be expelled lies in the intestines and ferments, causing blood, nerve, liver and kidney trouble and preparing the entire system for disease.

Iron-Ox Tablets cure constipation by stimulating the stomach, bowels, liver and kidneys to natural action. They insure perfect digestion, complete assimilation, and a natural flow of digestive and expulsive fluids, so that purgatives and cathartics are unnecessary.

Any remedy which shocks the system into activity is dangerous. Do not expect immediate perceptible effects from Iron-Ox Tablets. They produce a natural, regular building up of all the bodily functions. This takes a little time, but success is absolutely certain.

Do not confound Iron-Ox Tablets with liquid preparations which are simply drugged alcohol, and which create a habit which is nothing more nor less than alcoholism. Iron-Ox Tablets build up the system slowly—they cannot create a "habit."

Fifty Iron-Ox Tablets in an attractive aluminum case, 25 cents at druggists, or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, by The Iron-Ox Remedy Co., Detroit, Mich., U. S. A.

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If so you should call at Devine's Trunk Store. We can save you money enough to pay your car fare, either on a trunk or dress suit case or any other thing in the trunk line. Remember the place.

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But Great Bargains for Those We can Fit

1 Lot Misses' Oxfords, were 75c. Sale price 49c
1 Lot Child's Patent Sandals, were 75c. Sale price 39c
1 Lot Ladies' $2.00 Oxfords. Sale price $1.49
1 Lot Ladies' $1.00 Oxfords. Sale price 69c
1 Lot Ladies' $1.39 Oxfords. Sale price 99c
1 Lot Men's $2.50 Hand Sewed Vici. Sale price $1.98
1 Lot Men's $1.75 Calf Lace Shoes. Sale price $1.39
1 Lot Men's $1.50 Calf Lace Shoes. Sale price $1.19
1 Lot Boys' $1.00 Calf Lace Shoes. Sale price 79c
1 Lot Child's $1.25 Oxfords. Sale price 89c

To buy and save a discount of 25 per cent. is quick interest that you get without waiting.

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STRUCK BY CAR

One Member of Picnic Party Killed

By Associated Press to The Sun

SHARON, Pa., Aug. 7.—While returning from a picnic last evening a trolley car on the Youngstown and Sharon Electric line ran into a car ahead, killing on man and more or less seriously injuring about 20 others. The dead:

JOSEPH BEES, aged 65, of Sharon, crushed to death.

The more seriously injured are:
Archibald Lotten,
Mrs. E. Shensley,
Miss Zella Cooper,
Mrs. Arthur Redford,
Miss Maggie Gammill,
Motorman Hays,
Carl Peters,
Lizzie Minchel, all of Sharpsville, and Elmer Ross of Sharon.

The car, which carried about 100 passengers, was returning from a church picnic at Youngstown. It was running as a special, following the regular car at a short distance. When about four miles from this city the rope holding the trolley on the regular broke. It was while repairs were being made that the special crashed into the car, completely telescoping it. The dead and injured were brought to this city.

TRAIN WENT BACK

SOME PASSENGERS SAID A MAN HAD BEEN KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 7.—The trainmen on the morning express for Worcester were given a scare about four miles from this city yesterday.

Several of the passengers thought they saw a man thrown from the train and roll down an embankment. A mild panic ensued, and the conductor was speedily notified.

Before the train could be stopped it had proceeded nearly a mile beyond the scene of the supposed accident.

The return was hurriedly made, and the "dead man" proved to be a piece of rubber hose five feet long and six inches in diameter, which had fallen from the locomotive.

Those who were first to notify the conductor of the "accident" were not seeking any laurels for their promptness after this discovery.

Lowell, Friday, August 7, 1903

A. G. Pollard & Co.

CLEARANCE PRICES AMONG THE SUMMER DRESS FABRICS

19c A YARD for our best Irish Dimities, regular price 25c. A much better assortment of patterns than we ever had before at this time of the year.
19c A YARD for our Plumatis Swiss, a fine sheer fabric, white and colored ground, with embroidered figures and stripes, regular price 29c
39c A YARD for our Fancy Grenadines and Gauze Cloths, very stylish, in black, white and pongee, regular prices 58c and 69c.
19c A YARD for our Swiss Zephyrs, in woven colors, for waists and suits, regular price 25c.
39c A YARD for our Fancy Silk Novelties, all the best designs and colorings of the season, regular price 50c and 58c.
17c A YARD for Mercerized Cheviots and Silk Ginghams, which come to us in short lengths, some slightly imperfect, regular price 50c.

PALMER STREET, CENTRE AISLE.

CLEARANCE PRICES AMONG THE MEN'S FURNISHINGS

43c EACH for Negligee Shirts, made from madras, in pretty patterns, with separate cuffs, cushion neck bands and pearl buttons, regular price 69c and 75c each.
17c EACH for Shirts and Drawers, both balbriggan and jersey ribbed, in plain and fancy colors, regular price 25c.
3 PAIRS 25c for Half Hose, all black and black and white. These are slightly imperfect or they'd be 25c a pair.

EAST SECTION, LEFT AISLE.

CLEARANCE PRICES AMONG THE HOUSE AND KITCHEN FURNISHINGS

2 FOR 25c for our Plain and Bay Window Screens, of hard wood, oiled thoroughly, regular prices 20c to 25c each.
59c EACH for our Screen Doors, regular prices 75c and 98c
69c EACH for our Screen Doors, regular prices $1.25 and $1.69. (Be sure and bring the measure of your door)—no doors exchanged.
$1.98 EACH for White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers, 3 quart size, regular price $2.39.
$2.19 EACH for the 4 quart size, regular price $2.79.
$2.79 EACH for the 6 quart size, regular price $3.39.
$1.49 EACH for Arctic Ice Cream Freezers, regular $1.98, 3 quart size.
$1.79 EACH for the 4 quart size, regular price $2.49.
$2.29 EACH for the 6 quart size, regular price $2.98.
$1.00 EACH for our $1.50 Hammocks.
$1.49 EACH for our $2.00 Hammocks.
$1.98 EACH for our $2.50 Hammocks.
$2.39 EACH for our $3.00 Hammocks.
$2.98 EACH for our $4 and $5 Hammocks.
39c A DOZEN for our Mason Fruit Jars, pint size, regular price 59c.
49c A DOZEN for the quart size, regular price 69c.
59c A DOZEN for the 2 quart size, regular price 79c.
$2.98 EACH for the Blue Flame Oil Stoves, warranted odorless and smokeless, regular price $4, one burner.
$4.79 EACH for the 2 burner size, regular price $6.
$6.49 EACH for the 3 burner size, regular price $8.
TUBING 3c AND 5c A FOOT instead of 5c and 10c.
Gas Stoves and Ovens reduced from 85c, $1.50 and $2, to 69c, $1.29 and $1.98.

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FOR 85c 1 pound A. G. P. Coffee, 1-2 pound Tea, Oolong or Mixed, 1 package Wonderland Pudding Tablets, 1 bottle Pickles or Olives, 5 pounds of Sugar, for 85c.

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TOUGH OLD GAME

Rain Made the Ball Soggy and Dead

And Fall River Objected to Using a Whitewashed Sphere —Lowell Won in a Game Full of Trouble

Four hundred dead game sports sat through a rain storm yesterday at Spalding park and saw a game that made them tired. The game was full of growls and in the sixth inning when Yeager was benched for throwing a ball over the grand stand, Weddidge got sore and pitched the remainder of the game himself, making a farce out of it.

The trouble was all over the balls. The rain made them soggy and dead and while it was as fair for one side as for the other to use them, Fall River objected to them. Then Lowell tried the ridiculous scheme of whitening the soggy balls and it was one of those retouched balls that Yeager threw over the grand stand.

It was Umpire Webster's first appearance and he ran the game beautifully and would take no talk from the players. But he gave all close decisions against the runner. He'll probably do, though.

The game in detail:

Iott opened with a single across second on the second ball pitched. Warren bunted to McKenna who threw Iott out at second. Weddidge got a single. A single by Bowcock scored Warren. O'Hara fanned out. Blewise Lawrence. For Lowell, Hafford hit a foul fly to Warren. Bigbie hit over second base for a single. Hickey fled to Ball in left field. Bigbie stole second prettily. Merritt fled to O'Hara.

Second inning: Moorehead opened with a single. Ball bunted to Hafford who made a bad throw to second and both were safe. Yeager bunted to Hafford and this time Frank threw right and Ball went out at second. Iott fled to Bigbie and Moorehead beat the ball home. Warren went out Cross to Lake. Lake got first on Warren's fumble and Ball misjudged Grant's fly giving him a two bagger. McLaughlin got in a single that scored both men while Bonny got second on Lawrence's fumble of the ball at the plate. Connors advanced Barney with a sacrifice. Cross fanned out. Hafford foul fled to Weddidge.

Score, Two up.

Third Inning: Weddidge sent a fly out to Bigbie. Bowcock went out on a grounder to McLaughlin. O'Hara hit a hot one to Hafford causing him to drop it and pick it up again. It looked as if O'Hara beat the ball out to first but Webster called him out.

For Lowell Bigbie sent a dandy to left for two basses. Hickey scored him with a single to right. Then came a funny play. Merritt bunted intending to sacrifice. Yeager fumbled the ball and Weddidge went out and got it while Bowcock covered first. But Weddidge threw wild and Merritt got to second. Lake struck out. Grant went out, Warren to Weddidge while Hickey scored and McLaughlin closed the inning, Warren to Weddidge.

Score, Lowell 4, Fall River 2.

Fourth Inning: Lawrence hit to McLaughlin and died at first, so did Moorehead on a close decision. Ball hit to Lake, who threw bad to Cross at first and Ball was safe. Ball stole second. McLaughlin making a pretty catch of a bad throw. Yeager went out, Hickey to Lake.

For Lowell, Connors hit to Warren and died at first. Cross fled to O'Hara in deep center. Hafford foul fled to Weddidge.

Fifth inning: Iott fled to Hickey. Warren got a single. He tried to steal and was caught a mile. Weddidge hit to Hafford and died at first.

For Lowell, Bigbie fled to Iott. Hickey drew a base on balls. Merritt fanned and Lake went out, Bowcock to Weddidge.

Sixth inning:

Bowcock was an easy out, Cross to Lake. O'Hara struck out. Lawrence popped a foul fly to Lake.

For Lowell Grant fled to O'Hara.

At this point a kick ensued over the balls used. There were pretty dead but immaculately white, having been whitened. Fall River kicked on the whitened ball and Yeager, making a bluff to pitch threw the ball over the grand stand and out of the grounds. Umpire Webster immediately put Yeager out of the game. Weddidge after a big kick went in to pitch himself and Joe Courneen, the pitcher, went on first. When Weddidge had pitched one ball it was discovered that the ball was ripped and then Lake produced two new balls. After this the game proceeded. McLaughlin filed to Ball and Connors died, Moorehead to Courneen.

Seventh inning: Moorehead filed to Bigbie, Ball fled to Cross. Courneen retired from the game and Bleeius went to bat and made a single. Iott drew a base and got second on a passed ball. Warren fanned out.

For Lowell, Cross got a swift pitched ball in the back and took first. Hafford drew his base. Bigbie advanced both with a sacrifice. Hickey scored both with a hit. Merritt to Warren forcing Hickey at second. Lake drew a base and the crowd begged Weddidge to put in a pitcher, Grant went out, Warren to Bleeius.

Score, Lowell 8; Fall River 2.

Eighth Inning: Weddidge opened with a hit and stole second, Bowcock fled to Hickey. O'Hara hit a high drive with steam on it that Hafford pulled down but couldn't hold. Lawrence hit a grounder to Lake who tried for a double play at second. But he threw wild to second and Weddidge scored while O'Hara started for third. McLaughlin threw wild to third and O'Hara scored. Moorehead got a hunt single and Ball struck out.

For Lowell, McLaughlin hit to deep left and got third on Ball's excusable fumble. Connors went out, Moorehead to Bleeius. Cross made a pretty two-bagger to the left field fence scoring Barney, Hafford and Bigbie retired on flies to Moorehead and O'Hara.

Ninth Inning: Bleeius foul fled to Hafford and Iott and Warren retired on flies to Grant. The score:

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Hafford 2b	4	1	0	0	1	3	1
Bigbie lf	4	1	2	3	3	0	0
Hickey 3b	3	1	2	3	2	1	0
Hickey 2b	3	1	2	2	2	1	0
Lake 1b	2	1	0	0	10	0	2
Grant rf	4	1	1	2	2	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	1	1	1	3	3	1
Connors rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
McKenna p	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Cross p	3	1	1	2	1	2	0
Totals	31	7	7	10	27	11	4

FALL RIVER.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Iott rf	4	1	1	1	1	0	0
Warren 2b	5	1	1	1	1	5	1
Weddidge 1b, p	4	1	2	2	7	0	1
Bowcock 2b	4	0	1	1	1	1	0
O'Hara lf	4	1	1	1	4	0	0
Lawrence c	4	0	0	0	3	0	1
Moorehead ss	4	1	2	2	1	2	0
Ball lf	3	0	0	0	2	0	1
Yeager p	2	0	0	0	0	1	1
Courneen 1b	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Bleeius 1b	2	0	1	1	3	0	0
Totals	36	4	9	9	24	9	5

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lowell	0	2	2	0	0	2	1	*	— 7
Fall River	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0 — 4

Summary: Lowell 3, Fall River. Two base hits, Bigbie, Cross. Stolen bases, Bigbie, Weddidge, Hall. Sacrifice hits, Bigbie, Merritt, Connors, Ball. Bases on balls, off Cross, off Yeagher, off Weddidge 2. Struck out, by McKenna 2, by Cross 3, by Yeager 3. Left on bases, Lowell 7, Fall River 7. First on errors, Lowell 2, Fall River 2. Hit by pitched ball, Cross. Passed ball, Merritt. Time, 1.45. Umpire, Webster. Attendance, 400.

NASHUA 2; HAVERHILL 1.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 7.—Haverhill was defeated yesterday afternoon in a closely contested game. Voorhees pitched a great game and led the score in the third inning on a strike out. Graham, Ashenbach and Sheets made sensational running catches while Jordan's hitting was a feature.

Score by innings:—

Nashua	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 x—2
Haverhill	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Earned runs—Nashua 2. Two base hits—Pastor, McLean, Dupee. Three base hit—Jordan. Stolen bases—Jordan, Voorhees.

Double plays—Graham and Soffel; Dupee, Kelly and Murphy. First base on balls—By Voorhees 2, by Dupee 2. Hit by pitched balls—Pastor, Ashenbach. Struck out—By Voorhees 5, by Dupee 1. Time—1.30. Umpire—Sullivan. Attendance—500.

NEW BEDFORD 1, CONCORD 0.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 7.—With two out in the ninth inning, a two base hit by Burrill and a single by Murphy, gave New Bedford the only run scored in the game with the locals yesterday afternoon. Greene and Josslyn were the opposing pitchers and the latter's work was the feature of the game.

Score by innings:

New Bedford	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1

Earned run—New Bedford. Two base hits—Burrill, Noblitt. Stolen base—Joyce. Double play—Josslyn and Stroh, Stroh and Murphy. First base on balls—Off Josslyn 1, off Greene 1. Hit by pitched ball—Pulsifer. Struck out—By Josslyn 2, by Green 6. Time—1.30. Umpire—Jordan. Attendance—200.

OTHER GAMES.

AMERICAN:—

At Philadelphia—Athletics 4; Boston 3.

At Washington—New York 4, Washington 0.

At Chicago—Chicago 5, St. Louis 1.

At Cleveland—Detroit 7, Cleveland 6.

NATIONAL:—

At St. Louis—Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 3.

At Boston—Boston-Brooklyn game postponed (rain).

EASTERN:—

At Rochester—Rochester-Providence postponed on account of wet grounds.

At Baltimore—Baltimore-Montreal postponed, wet grounds.

At Buffalo—Buffalo 5, Jersey City 0.

NEW ENGLAND STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	[illegible]	29	.621
Nashua	36	31	.550
Lowell	46	33	.582
Concord	43	32	.573
Fall River	37	40	.481
New Bedford	33	41	.446
Lawrence	31	46	.404
Haverhill	21	52	.288

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	50	31	.659
Chicago	57	39	.594
New York	51	36	.586
Cincinnati	48	41	.522
Brooklyn	41	45	.477
Boston	36	49	.424
St. Louis	34	58	.370
Philadelphia	31	58	.348

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	56	31	.625
Philadelphia	51	37	.593
Cleveland	46	43	.517
New York	43	41	.512
Detroit	41	45	.506
Chicago	41	47	.466
St. Louis	40	48	.455
Washington	29	60	.329

GAMES TODAY.

Haverhill at Lowell.
New Bedford at Manchester.
Fall River at Nashua.
Lawrence at Concord, two games.

DIAMOND NOTES.

Pitcher Vail has jumped Nashua.

Either McKenna or Bushey today.

Tommy Burbage has been released by Fall River.

Stackpole has not appeared in New Bedford up to date.

Umpire Webster used to catch for Portland long ago. He's over seven.

Hamilton has been offered $450 to finish the season in New Bedford.

Two games tomorrow with New Bedford.

The T. R. & T.'s will meet the crack Ballardvale team at North Billerica tomorrow and will have to hustle to win.

AMATEUR DIAMOND.

The Hudsons would like to arrange games with teams under 13 years.

The Little White Rabbits defeated the Whipples by a score of 16 to 15 in a ten inning game. They made a clean sweep and after the game was over they mopped the streets with them. The line up is as follows: D. Trainor c, William Dwyer p, Freddie Mulvey 1b, T. O'Keefe 2b, J. Moloney lf, J. Gill 3b, K. Moloney cf, A. Wiley rf. We would like to play them for a quarter ball Saturday afternoon.

Send our challenges to Freddie Mulvey, 48 Whipple street.

HELD IN $1000

FOR FRAUDULENT USE OF THE MAILS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 7—L. E. Holloway of this city was arrested yesterday charged with fraudulent use of the mails. He pleaded not guilty when arraigned before Commissioner John L. Rice, and was held in $1000 bonds. Holloway represented himself to be the president of the Highland Loan and Trust company, which had deposited $25,000 with the Home Publishing association for prizes to be given to persons who made the nearest correct guess on the receipts of the Springfield post office. Holloway admitted that he was the association and the trust company.

BEY ESCAPED

NOTORIOUS KURDISH CHIEF IS AT LARGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7—A letter from Yeldz dated July 21 reports that the notorious Kurdish chief, Moussa Bey, who was responsible for many of the Armenian outrages, has escaped from Medina with several other Kurdish chiefs, where they have been living in exile, and that all attempts to intercept them have failed.

Moussa Bey figured extensively during the Armenian troubles in 1894-5. He wounded Rev. Mr. Knapp, an American missionary, in 1895 and despite the evidence against him, was acquitted. The United States minister and the American missionaries resented the verdict and to appease them the sultan exiled him to Medina.

FRED. VAN RENSSELAER DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7—Frederick Harold Van Rensselaer, a member of the old New York family of that name, died yesterday at Long Branch, L. I., where Mr. and Mrs. Van Rensselaer were spending the summer. He succumbed to an attack of cerebro meningitis, from which he has been suffering for some time. He was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John King Van Rensselaer of this city. He has been prominent in New York and Newport society and was a graduate of Yale. In April of 1898 he married Miss Lucy Josephine Grinnell, the daughter of the late Robert Minturn Grinnell, and a niece of James J. Van Alen.

INTERNAL COMMERCE

FIRST HALF OF THIS YEAR COMPARATIVELY CONSIDERED.

Internal commerce conditions in the United States as reported by the department of commerce and labor through its bureau statistics show that the first half of the current year compares favorably with the corresponding period in 1902 or 1901. With a few exceptions the volume of trade thus far this year equalled, if not exceeded, that of last year, though occasionally falling below the high level of 1901. There is no evidence of a general recession in commercial activities, corresponding to the extraordinary shrinkage in speculative values.

Western staples for this year have gained materially over last year, receipts of live stock at five markets having amounted to 15,126,661 head, compared with 14,958,345 head in the first six months of 1902 and 15,710,300 head in 1901. The numerical decrease from 1901 occurred in hogs, which have been averaging equal to, or heavier than in 1901, and much heavier than in 1902. Coincident with this, the trend of prices for hogs has been downward. The price at Chicago on July 1 was $5.79 per hundred, against $7.61 a year ago.

Wheat receipts at eight interior markets for the crop year ending June 30, 1903, were 236,675,569 bushels, compared with 221,766,387 bushels in 1902 and 217,058,746 bushels in 1901.

The total shipments of provisions from Chicago and Chicago points for the first 26 weeks of 1903 were 621,138 tons, against 653,217 tons in the same period of 1902 and 566,029 tons in 1901. Shipments of flour from Minneapolis were 8,379,625 barrels, 7,683,708 barrels, and 7,218,721 barrels, respectively. Six months' shipments of grain from Buffalo by rail were 44,453,900 bushels in 1903, 37,259,404 bushels in 1902, and 59,098,624 bushels in 1901.

On the Great Lakes the tonnage of coastwise traffic shipped from ports reporting to the end of June this year has totaled 20,113,227 tons, compared with 19,139,458 tons and 12,621,977 tons in 1901. Coal tonnage for the half year amounted to 7,833,809 tons, of which 5,500,936 was shipped to domestic ports, and 2,332,873 tons to foreign points. Domestic iron ore shipments were 7,936,177 tons, of which 3,922,974 tons were shipped in June. The registered tonnage for six months this year in the domestic trade of the lakes reached 25,570,757 net tons compared with 25,342,698 net tons in 1902. The freight tonnage via the Sault Ste Marie canals was 11,944,931 tons in 1903, 11,486,501 tons in 1902, and 6,767,120 tons in 1901.

At the North Atlantic seaboard grain receipts including flour reduced to bushels, were as follows for six months:

New York 62,053,140 bushels in 1903 and 48,831,490 bushels in 1902 Boston 16,857,234 bushels in 1903 and 13,876,398 bushels in 1902; Philadelphia 20,442,659 bushels in 1903 and 16,865,078 bushels in 1902; Baltimore 16,190,924 bushels in 1903 and 16,069,077 bushels in 1902. Officially inspected receipts at the port of Portland, Me., totaled 6,906,879 bushels, of which 1,653,193 bushels were of American origin and 5,153,686 bushels of Canadian origin.

Figures of coastwise shipments of coal are available for five months from the four ports of New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Newport News. In this period New York has reported 8,073,714 tons shipped, Philadelphia 2,288,331 tons, Baltimore 673,962 tons, and Newport News 769,806. Receipts of coal at Boston in six months this year were 3,056,972 tons compared with 2,177,792 tons in 1902.

In southern territory the cotton crop movement covers the first ten months of the current commercial year. Out of a total available supply of 10,739,877 bales, 7,660,716 bales were port receipts, 1,064,140 bales overland shipments and 1,813,500 bales shipments to southern mills. The total American spinners' takings were 3,899,127 bales, compared with 3,727,737 bales in 1902 and 3,245,550 bales in 1901. New Orleans shipped 21,914,545 bushels of grain, including flour reduced to bushels, in the first six months of 1903, and 5,945,109 bushels in 1902. Galveston's figures were 9,713,131 bushels and 1,178,786 bushels respectively.

On the Pacific coast 115,284,134 feet of redwood lumber were shipped from California point in the first six months, compared with 110,784,276 feet in 1902, and 102,218,403 feet in 1901. Citrus fruit shipments from Southern California for 35 week were 19,860 cars to July 2nd, 1903, 15,316 cars in 1902, and 22,387 cars in 1901. The cargo tonnage movement at Tacoma for this half year amounted to 511,882 tons and 714,806 tons for the first half of 1902.

River and canal traffic covers the Monongahela river, on which 5,228,856 tons were reported this half year against 4,677,587 tons in 1902; at Louisville, Kentucky, 1,161,571 tons and 1,110,930 tons respectively. The New York state canals report a tonnage to the end of June this year, of 1,031,130 tons, 902,098 tons in 1902 and 915,732 tons in 1901.

Anthracite coal shipments aggregated 21,884,952 tons for six months in 1903, 18,731,880 tons in 1902 and 27,435,952 tons in 1901.

RAISING POSTAL ORDERS

SHE MADE A CONFESSION OF HER CRIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 6.—Annie E. Shapley, who was arrested in New York and brought to this city to answer the charge of raising United States postal orders and subsequently held for trial today, made a confession. She said her operations had been carried on since May 25 and that the New York city, Trenton, Newark, Yonkers, Brooklyn, New Rochelle, Bound Brook, N. J., and other post offices in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania had been victimized by the raising of postal orders.

She also confessed to having given Joseph McNeil of this city a worthless check for $250 and also obtaining $600 from Amile E. Lawrence of Wilmington, Del., under false pretences.

GENERAL LOCKOUT

1400 JEWELRY WORKERS WILL BE IDLE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—A general lockout affecting more than 1400 jewelry workers was decided on yesterday at a meeting of the New York manufacturing jewelers' association on account of demands by the New York local of the International Jewelry Workers' unions. The lockout will go into effect Saturday.

It is asserted that the union has been trying to get a rule established by which a man must pay his dues or be discharged from employment.

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ONLY TWO SAVED

Five Members of Crew Were Lost

BARGE FLORRIE SUNK OFF FIRE ISLAND

Ten Year Old Boy Among the Victims

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 7—Tug Boswell arrived here yesterday afternoon from Norfolk towing barge Emily.

The tug had on board Captain Cobb and a deck hand, the sole survivors of seven persons on board barge Florrie, which was in the tow and which went down between Barnegate and Fire Island early Wednesday morning. Those drowned were Mrs. Cobb, the captain's wife; a 10-year-old son, a boy named Jones who was making the trip with the captain, the engineer and cook of the barge, names unknown.

About 11.30 Tuesday night the Florrie lost her deck house aft, which was swept away in the terrible seas encountered. The barge signalled the tug, which slowed down, but in a very few moments she went down stern foremost, and Captain Cobb had just time to seize the two boys, one under each arm, who stood beside him in the pilot house.

Mrs. Cobb, the engineer and cook were all below and were carried down with the sinking barge.

The waves tore Captain Cobb's hold from the two boys, who were swept away. Captain Cobb and the deck hand clung to a hatch and were rescued more dead than alive in about half an hour by the tug.

The tug sailed Wednesday afternoon for Boston with the survivors on board. The Florrie was bound to Providence with 2059 tons of coal.

GEN. GILLESPIE

WILL BE HEAD OF BOARD OF FORTIFICATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7—General Gillespie, chief of engineers, will be designated president of the board of ordinance and fortification on the retirement of General Miles.

THIRD READING

FOR THE SUGAR CONVENTION BILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7—In the house of commons after James Bryce (liberal) and Charles Wentworth Dilke (advanced radical) and others had vigorously denounced the sugar convention bill as a protectionist measure, the bill was passed to a third reading by a vote of 119 to 57.

KANSAS RIVER RISING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAWRENCE, Kas., Aug. 7.—As a result of the heavy fall of rain here Wednesday night the Kansas river has risen about three feet during the past 12 hours. The current is swift and has undermined the north approach to the wagon bridge, and continues to eat away the north bank.

ST. LOUIS MAN

FAILED TO EXPLORE COURSE OF BLUE NILE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 7.—A special dispatch from Jibutil, a French port on the gulf of Aden, announces the arrival there from Ades Abeba, the capital of Abyssinia, of W. N. McMillan of St. Louis, who recently failed in his attempts to explore the course of the Blue Nile owing to his punts being wrecked on the rocks in the river. McMillan declared that he would begin again in six months the study of the navigability of the Blue Nile. He proceeded to Ades from Jibutil.

BRIDGE SWEPT AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

JUNCTION CITY, Kas., Aug. 7.—An inch and a half of rain here Wednesday night caused the Smokey Hill river to rise rapidly and it now is over ten feet. A 180-foot temporary bridge here that took the place of one of the bridges that was washed away by the flood in May, was swept away last night and the only remaining brige across the river in this county is in great danger.

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10 stamps with 1 lb. 20c Coffee.
5 stamps with 1 lb. 18c Butterine.
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A Story Suggesting Great Scientific Possibilities

A WIRELESS MESSAGE

By . . . JAMES RAYMOND PERRY

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IT was in the smoking compartment of a Pullman, on a journey from New York to Chicago, that I met him. I had just finished reading in a magazine an article upon Marconi's achievement in wireless telegraphy, and, raising my eyes, I saw that the stranger was glancing down at the magazine page.

"A remarkable achievement, sir," I said. "Have you read this article?"

"Do Marconi? Yes," the stranger replied.

"It seems almost past belief," I said, "that a message could be sent across the sea without the aid of wires: yet Marconi seems to have accomplished it, unless, possibly, the three ticks he heard were the result of accident, and the fact of that particular signal having been prearranged may have been only one of those singular coincidences that now and then astonish us."

The stranger removed the cigar from his lips and said: "No, the sounds Marconi heard are not to be classed among the accidental and coincidental. It was a real signal sounded by his assistants in England and received by him in St. John's. I entertain not the slightest doubt of that."

He spoke with conviction. Pulling at his cigar until the end glowed again he continued, "I might have had doubts had I not previously heard and seen things achieved along similar lines far more wonderful than Marconi's feat."

Seeing that he paused, I said: "You interest me. May I ask what those achievements were?"

For a moment the stranger was silent. Then he said: "You are aware, of course, that the vibratory theory—the theory of etheric waves—is not new. The idea that all planetary bodies, our earth included, are imbedded in what the magazine article somewhat aptly describes as ether jelly—the jelly of space—is an idea which Marconi has made use of, but did not originate. What he attempted—and has succeeded in doing—was to jar the 'jelly' and register the jars. While giving him full credit for the Columbuslike daring of his thought, I will say that that achievement alone was not difficult.

"For more than a dozen years I have been engaged in an attempt to establish wireless communication between distant points. Marconi was scarcely in his teens when I began, and if I have progressed farther than he in this study it is not necessarily to my credit. In all scientific research time is the principal factor—the great perfector.

"When the ultimate discovery in this direction shall have been made and the last word concerning it uttered, it will probably be found that the suspected but hitherto unproved fourth dimension had no small part in the great discovery. However, it is not my intention to go into that phase of the question now.

"Have you ever happened to hear the statement—seemingly incredible—that

"MAY I ASK WHAT THOSE ACHIEVEMENTS WERE?"

the slightest motion anywhere—the lift of an insect's wing, for example—starts a wave motion that does not die until it has reached and affected, to some extent, the innermost core of the outermost star of the universe?"

"I think not—I'm not sure, though—but I have in my readings run across some such hint. Probably I did not credit it. An effect so remote from a cause so slight must be very small indeed."

"To our senses inconceivably infinitesimal—yes. However, I am of those who believe it is so. So sensitive is this ether jelly in which the universe rests that when it is jarred at all it is all jarred. The half flutter of an insect's wing and the explosion of a star in outer space both set the waves in motion, and the one wave travels as far as the other.

"I wonder if you fully grasp the import of my words when I say that the innermost core of the outermost star is affected. The object mentioned is so remote that perhaps one might lose the application of its meaning. Let us, therefore, bring the subject nearer home. If the innermost core of the remotest star is affected, then of course must also be affected the innermost cores of all other stellar and planetary bodies. Among these our earth is of course included, and though in reality it is a far less wonderful fact perhaps to our finite minds it seems quite as wonderful to know that the wave set in motion by the flutter of the insect's wing is felt at the innermost core of our own earth; or, to draw into still narrower limits, it seems marvelous that this ash that I am knocking from my cigar sets in motion waves that vibrate across London, Paris, Berlin, St. Petersburg, that the words I am uttering cause waves that vibrate in Melbourne and Peking.

"May I ask you which invention seems to you the more wonderful—the telegraph or the telephone?"

"The telephone," I answered unhesitatingly.

"To me also," said the stranger. "The telephone is personal, the telegraph impersonal; therefore the range of imagination about the former is immeasurably wider. Possibly I am more imaginative than Marconi, or perhaps it was only accident. At all events he seems to have worked with the telegraph in mind, while through all my labors my imagination was dominated by the telephone.

"Now when a telegraph message from New York to Chicago is ticked off the wire nothing has really passed across those thousand miles of space. The ether jelly has been jarred in New York and the jars have been recorded and read in Chicago. So with the long distance telephone the voice itself has not been carried on an electric current across all those miles; but again the jelly was jarred, and the sensitive eardrum, aided by transmitter and receiver, has heard the vibrations. In both instances the wire has made an easy road for the vibration to travel over; but it does not follow that the road was necessary. One can pass across fields as well as along asphaltum walks. Marconi and others have realized this; only most of the others, Marconi included, have made the error of supposing you must go over fields and mountains, not through them. Yet the path lies through them as easily and naturally as over them, and herein is involved, in a manner, the fourth dimension, an explanation of which, however, we need not enter into in order to understand the operation of ether vibrations. I have spoken of the earth and the planetary bodies as being imbedded in the ether jelly. For our purpose let us alter the simile a little. Let us imagine a mass of colorless jelly with here and there a drop of chromatic fluid, forming, say, little crimson globes at intervals. Let us imagine now that the colorless portion represents the ether and the colored spheres the so called solid bodies—our earth and the other planets. The simile is necessarily crude and inexact, but it will serve. Now, while those bits of color are imbedded in the mass of jelly, they are, nevertheless, jelly, like the rest of the mass. Jar the jelly, and ether and planets are both jarred by the same motion, the innermost point of the colored globe being sensitive to the motion as well as the surface which comes in contact with the colorless portion. In this way we may perceive dimly how a wave motion—the uplift of an insect's wing or a thousand tons of exploding dynamite—shall reach the earth's core and the heart of the outermost star.

"In other words we are assuming that all material things are of essentially the same composition as the ether. Of course they are not—at least to our senses—but so far as my observation of the operation of these ether vibrations goes they are the same in

"WHICH INVENTION SEEMS TO YOU THE MORE WONDERFUL?"

that the so called solid bodies offer no slightest resistance to the progress of the waves. Progress is not quite the right word, but I have to use it. Thus, an ether wave traveling, say, from Venus to Mars, would not break upon the earth and pass around, as a sea wave might break upon a rock, but would pass directly through the earth, impeded by its presence no more than if no solid body had been in its path. Or, to draw the scale down to small proportions, I hold my hand up—so—and the waves set in motion by my words vibrate to you through my hand as freely as they do above, below and on either side of it. The hand might be a bar of steel, or for that matter a section of twenty inch armor plate. The vibration would pass through it and not seek an easier way around it. If there were an easier way around it, no doubt it would seek it, as the sea wave does at the rock, but to go around is not any easier for the ether wave. It knows no 'easy' and no 'hard,' because what seem to us obstacles in its path to it are nothing. Edgar Poe, in his 'Eureka,' was not so far astray from the truth as has been supposed, though errors—inevitable in guesswork or intuitive work like his—materially lessen the value of his conclusions.

"Marconi clearly misconceived the operation of these ether vibrations. That is, he presumed them to be subject to obstruction. Hence, he established lofty stations for setting in motion the waves and flew kites high in air to catch them as they passed a distant point; whereas he might have accomplished the same results on level plains or in deep canyons. His error was in supposing the vibrations passed around the earth—like sea waves around the rock—instead of through it. When that signal from overseas reached him it was in his thought that the waves that brought it had come over the earth's curvature, though in reality they had vibrated through it in the straightest possible path. Had he been at a point antipodal to the transmitting station the waves would have vibrated to him from directly under his feet, and a wire sunk in an artesian well would have served as well as a kite flying in air. The tremor of an earthquake travels in precisely the same way—from any one spot in the earth to any and every other spot in the straightest line.

"I admit that when the thought is new it seems difficult to believe the ether waves pass through solid bodies as freely as through thin air. But that is because we understand so imperfectly the nature of the vibrations. Why shouldn't they pass through them freely? By aid of the X ray sight passes freely through an opaque solid. I mention the X ray merely because it is of recent discovery, is novel in its workings, and yet has won popular belief for itself through its demonstrability. It would be quite as much to the point, however, and far more apt by way of illustration, for me to cite a plate glass window or a crystal globe. Both are very solid to the sense, yet they furnish no obstacle to the passage of sight. I don't pretend to say that etheric waves vibrate through solids in precisely the same way that sight passes through a plate of clear glass; not at all. But after such an illustration I fancy you will not find the other idea quite so unbelievable.

"I have gone into an explanation of these etheric vibrations at some length because without some knowledge of them you would probably find it difficult to credit the rest I have to tell.

"As the writer of that magazine article states, quite the most wonderful achievement of Marconi is what he calls the 'tuning' of the vibrations. I fancy that in this his invention—discovery perhaps I should call it—differs very little from my own. I have called it 'tuning' instead of tuning. I transmit a sound at the rate, we will say, of 12,000,000 vibrations a second. If my receiver is adjusted, or 'timed,' to 11,999,000 vibrations per second, or to 12,001,000 vibrations, the receiver remains unresponsive; but if I time the receiver to 12,000,000 vibrations—or any number of vibrations exactly corresponding to the rate of transmission—the receiver instantly responds and the transmitted sounds are received."

"The transmitted sounds?" I ejaculated.

"Yes. I see you are surprised; but really it is not so remarkable. You place a telephone receiver to your ear

"I PLACED THE RECEIVER TO MY EAR."

and hear the voice of some person a hundred or a thousand miles away, and experience no particular wonder. You know the sounds have reached you over the electrical wire road and believe they could not have reached you otherwise; but don't you see you are still clinging to the thought that asphaltum walks are the only paths a man can travel over and are ignoring open fields? If a man 'cuts across lots' he may reach you quicker and more easily than if he comes around on the asphaltum walk. The same is imaginably true of the telephone wire.

"For a dozen years I have been working on an invention which embodies this idea of wireless telephony. Six months ago my invention was practically perfected. If I were to go into a detailed description of it—which I am not going to do—you perhaps would not understand me, unless you possess unusual knowledge of the science of sounds. I will say, however, that the invention is composed of a transmitter and a receiver, having some of the features of the ordinary telephone transmitter and receiver, and, necessarily, several added features; and, broadly speaking, the invention is based upon the law of etheric vibrations—the subject which I have just been discussing. It is a fundamental law, like the law of gravity, or, like that other law—not yet generally recognized, but which is involved in the fourth dimension—the law of levity.

"I made no public announcement of my invention while in its imperfected stages, because if I failed I did not care to endure the ridicule of the more—so called—practical scientists. I had but one confidant, and that a woman. You think a woman cannot keep a secret? Well, she kept one of the greatest secrets science has yet tried to conceal.

"Six months ago my invention was as nearly perfect as I could make it. Our first test was made in Chicago—between the north and south sides. Our success was all that we had hoped for. Then I took with me to New York the receiver—I had completed but one receiver and one transmitter—leaving my assistant in Chicago with the transmitter. The result of the test made between those two cities was also successful. But I was not yet ready to announce my invention. I wanted to first make a supreme test of it, and so I journeyed to Calcutta, and there installing my receiver I cabled to my assistant that I was ready. On a certain day, at a certain hour, she was to go to the transmitter and there repeat to me a message. While in New York she had sent me inclosed with another letter a sealed envelope. 'I will repeat to you,' she wrote, 'when you reach Calcutta, a certain message. After hearing it from the receiver, break the seal of this envelope and you will find within the message which I will utter. Then you will know there has been no mistake.'

"Near midnight in Calcutta, at a moment corresponding to exactly noon in Chicago, I placed the receiver to my ear, and then and there with no wire connecting transmitter and receiver I heard repeated as distinctly as you have ever heard a voice by telephone this message: 'This is Josephine. It is my voice that you hear. I am in Chicago. It is noon.' Breaking the seal of the envelope, I then read in my assistant's familiar handwriting this message: 'This is Josephine. It is my voice that you hear. I am in Chicago. It is noon.'

"After that she told me many things, but I could only listen and not answer. I could receive a message, but could not transmit one.

"The voice of my assistant was vibrated to me through nearly eight thousand miles of solid earth. Incredible as it sounds it yet was really nothing. Had she been stationed on Mars with my transmitter her voice would have reached me just the same. It would have reached me the same from the sun, or from Sirius, or from the remotest star in the universe—only it would have been longer coming. A wave once started radiates through all space.

"I am on my way to Chicago now, where I shall construct a second transmitter and receiver. With these completed I shall repeat the tests and then announce to the world my invention.

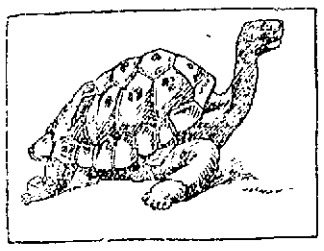
"We are nearing our destination, I perceive. Thanking you, sir, for your polite attention, I will bid you good day." He tossed away his cigar stump and left the compartment, nodding good naturedly in response to my bow.

A ROUND TABLE FOR JUVENILE READERS

TORTOISES FROM THE GALAPAGOS ISLANDS

. . . . . By ALBERTA PLATT

WHAT animal is it that has its skeleton outside of its body? There are several species of such creatures, including lobsters, crabs and the various shellfish. But the largest living thing that walks inside of its skeleton is the giant tortoise, especially that of the Galapagos



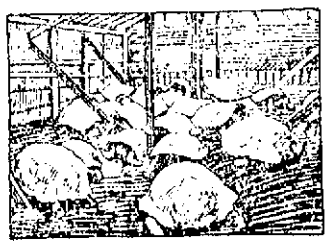
GALAPAGOS TORTOISES.

islands. Look on the map and you will find this island group under the equator, 600 miles west of the coast of Ecuador, to which country it belongs. The name Galapagos means tortoise in Spanish, and when the western continent was discovered there were literally acres of huge land tortoises in the islands. An explorer, writing of the abundance of these monsters in another locality, upon Rodriguez Island, in 1691, says, "There are such plenty of land turtles in this isle that sometimes you see a three thousand of them in a flock, so that you may go a hundred paces upon their backs."

One of these huge tortoises, or turtles, yields 200 pounds of choice meat for food to man. They used to swarm all over the earth in what is called the tertiary geological period, long before the time known to history. But when man came on the scene he began to eat them. Then they disappeared rapidly from the mainland of the continents. Now there are scarcely any left anywhere, the largest number of them being found in the Galapagos islands. The reason they still exist there is that the islands are so dry and sterile few human beings can stay there.

Tortoises belong to the reptile family. About fifty years ago Charles Darwin, the great naturalist, visited Chatham island, one of the Galapagos group, and made a study of the giant tortoises. When he landed from his ship and went toward the interior of the island he was surprised to see broad tracks or roads leading from the lowlands toward the higher country. The tracks were as smooth and well laid off as if they had been made by people. Darwin, who had trained himself to observe closely everything he saw, asked what made these tracks. He was told they were tortoise roads leading from the arid lowlands to the mountain springs.

The tortoise is a very thirsty creature, though it can live a long time without water. When it wants it, however, it wants it badly and goes after it regardless of distance. The Galapagos islands are so dry that sometimes the only water on them is in springs in



IN CAPTIVITY.

the mountains miles inland. The tortoises travel to these springs in droves or flocks. Darwin rode upon one's back for awhile, but could not keep his balance very well. Darwin said it was a strange sight to see them following the track, moving to and from the springs. About the springs there were always two lines of them, one having had its drink and traveling away and the other, the thirsty line, going to the springs. He wanted to see how fast they could travel and found the distance to be from three to eight miles a day, according to how long the tortoise stopped to eat and browse on vegetable growths. The creature when going anywhere never stops till it gets there, so that, traveling night and day, a tortoise can make perhaps four miles in twenty-four hours. Still, it does its best. If it gave up discouraged because it cannot go fast it would die of thirst.

Not long ago an exploring party visited the Galapagos islands and captured twenty-five giant tortoises. Some of them were the largest specimens ever taken, and the heaviest one weighed 527 pounds. To lift one of them required eight men. Some of them were found in the craters of extinct volcanoes. They were brought to San Francisco and placed in the Natural History museum. One or two of them had a carapace over four feet long. A carapace is the shell on the tortoise's back. Its under shell is called a plastron. These big creatures have a scary looking way of stretching their necks up till their heads are between two and three feet above the ground.

And it is said the biggest of them must be 2,000 years old, though one wonders how anybody knows that. Anyway, nobody ever knew a tortoise to die of old age.

What ship is best for the voyage of life? Friendship.

Dickie Dawdle-so's Father Gets Work For Him.

By KATE E. JAMIESON.

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Dickie Dawdle-so's natural inclination
Was to loaf throughout his long vacation;
But his father, knowing his fondness to shirk,
Determined to put lazy Dickie to work.

Mr. Manking, the grocer, was Dickie's employer;
His store on the corner of Main street and Doyer.
Dick, late the first morning, was sent home by Manking,
And his father, disgusted, gave Dick a sound spanking.

WHAT BOYS SHOULD KNOW.

A philosopher has said that true education of boys is to "teach them what they ought to know when they become men."

1. To be true and to be genuine. No education is worth anything that does not include this. A man would better not know how to read and be true and genuine in action rather than be learned in all sciences and in all languages and be at the same time false in heart and counterfeit in life. Above all things teach the boys that truth is more than riches, power or possessions.

2. To be pure in thought, language and life—pure in mind and body.

3. To be unselfish. To care for the feelings and comforts of others. To be generous, noble and manly. This will include a genuine reverence for the aged and for things sacred.

4. To be self reliant and self helpful even from childhood. To be industrious always and self supporting at the earliest possible age. Teach them that all honest work is honorable; that an idle life of dependence on others is disgraceful.

When a boy has learned these things, when he has made these ideas part of him, however poor or however rich, he has learned the most important things he ought to know.

A New Definition.

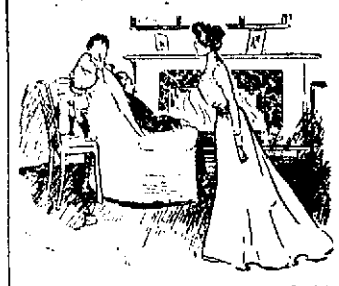
A boy in one of our public schools having been told that a reptile "is an animal that creeps" being asked the name of one promptly replied, "A baby."

THE BRIGHT SIDE.

Nanny has a hopeful way,
Bright and busy Nanny.
When I cracked the cup today,
She said in her hopeful way:
"It's only cracked. Don't fret, I pray."
Sunny, cheerful Nanny!

Nanny has a hopeful way;
Quite right, little Nanny.
Cups will break and crack alway;
Fretting doesn't mend or pay.
Do the best you can, I say,
Busy, loving Nanny!

The Unwelcome Guest.



Young hopeful has overheard his mother discussing what gentle hint would be best for the removal of their long staying guest.

Mother—Bobbie, darling, whatever are you doing?

Bobbie—Hush, mother. I've stamped and addressed him, and you can send him back by the next mail.

All That Was Necessary.

A class in a Sunday school was listening to a lesson on patience. The topic had been carefully explained, and the teacher had given each pupil a card bearing the picture of a boy fishing.

"Even pleasure," said she, "requires the exercise of patience. Look at the boy fishing. He must sit and wait and wait. He must be patient." Having treated the subject very fully, she began with the simplest, most practical question, "And now can any little boy tell me what we need most when we go fishing?"

With one voice was the answer shouted, "Bait!"

Did Him Up.

His Mother—What are you moping about the house for, Tommy? Why don't you go over and play with Charley Pinafore?

Tommy—'Cause I played with Charley Pinafore yesterday, and I don't s'pose he's well enough yet.

NASHUA GIRLS

Held Man Prisoner for an Hour

HE HAD BEATEN AND KICKED A BOY

Made His Escape in a Boat

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 7.—A crowd of girls, armed with rotten eggs, decayed fruit and the like, held a prisoner for an hour last evening. Fred Shores, aged about 25, and employed in the Campbell box factory on Water street.

The girls allege that Shores had some trouble during the afternoon with a small boy, and that he beat and kicked the lad.

So angry were the girls that they sent some of their number out to purchase bad fruit, rotten eggs, etc., with which to pelt Shores when he left the shop.

Shores learned of the girls' intentions and did not come out. The girls waited until after 7 o'clock without getting a sight of their intended victim. Hundreds of spectators gathered to watch the fracas.

Meantime a brother of Shores attempted to gain admission to the shop to confer with him.

One of the girls tried to hold the door closed, and it is alleged that Shores' brother pushed her out of the way. Thereupon the crowd made a rush for him. He was roughly handled and was struck a blow which set his mouth bleeding. He hastened away to get police protection to take his brother from the shop.

Shortly after 7 o'clock the imprisoned man signaled to a friend who secured a boat and rowed to the rear of the shop, which was out of sight of the waiting girls.

Shores is said to have jumped from a window into the boat and rowed across the Nashua river to a place of safety.

About this time the police arrived and the girls and the big crowd of the curious dispersed.

CANNOT GET WORK

DAVIS WANTS TO BE RETURNED TO PRISON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Hungry, with his last cent gone, Charles J. Davis, under sentence for forgery in Illinois, who had violated the parole under which he was released from prison, gave himself up yesterday and asked to be taken back, as he had no hope of making an honest living. Inability to get work at his trade as a stone cutter because he was not a member of a union, is the reason, he declares, for his despondency.

Davis said that he was sentenced to an indeterminate period of from one to 14 years in December, 1897, for forging pay checks on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad. Because of good behavior he was paroled after serving 14 months. He failed to report one month, was rearrested and returned to prison, where he served nine months more and was again released. He kept his parole for a while, but finally drifted to this city. Davis will be held until the Illinois authorities are heard from.

DENT FUND

BALANCE OF $1025 REWARD TO BE DISPOSED OF.

A meeting of the Arthur Dent fund committee was held last evening with only four members present, namely, Col. Alfred M. Chadwick, Secretary William Morris, D. W. Bugbee and ex-Councilman James Walker.

This representation was only about one-fourth of the general committee which was chosen some two years ago to devise means to find the body of little Arthur Dent who was at that time missing from his home and has not since been found. Considerable money was collected and expended by the committee in its endeavors to locate any trace of the unfortunate boy, but all its efforts were futile. The meeting last evening was called for the purpose of determining what should be done with the balance of the fund, some $1025. As a majority of the committee was not present it was thought better that the meeting should adjourn until next Thursday evening when it is hoped a full attendance will be present.

QUINCY SCARED

ON ACCOUNT OF A MAGAZINE THERE.

In Quincy Monday night at a meeting of the city council, leave to withdraw was reported on the petition of Harold L. Bond & Co., for permission to sell dynamite and gunpowder. This is the company which maintains a magazine in West Quincy, in which, it is said, four tons of dynamite are stored. It expected an ordinance restricting the amount of dynamite to be kept in magazines, to a ton would be passed, but no action was brought up.

C. T. A. U. OFFICERS

HARTFORD PRIEST WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE UNION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 7—Yesterday afternoon's session of the C. T. A. U. closed with the election of officers and the selection of St. Louis as the place for holding the next annual session. The officers elected are:

President, Rev. Walter J. Shanley, Hartford.

First vice-president, Walter J. Gibbons, Chicago.

Second vice-president, Rev. John G. Rosse, Pittsburg.

Third vice-president, Mrs. Leonora M. Lake, St Louis.

Secretary, J. Washington Logue, Philadelphia.

Treasurer, Rev. J. J. Curran, Wilkesbarre.

The union adopted as an emblem of the order a picture of an angel standing before an humble cottage. The angel has in its right hand a sword, while with the left it points to intemperance—remain only.

MOTHER AGREED

Burt Cushing and Miss Hamm Married

By Associated Press to The Sun

TILTON, N. H., Aug. 7.—Cupid wins, and to the old saying that "love laughs at locksmiths" may be added that he also makes light of a mother's "don't."

Wednesday night pretty Lena Hamm, the 16-year-old girl whose elopment was interrupted by the Tilton and Manchester police last week, was married to Burt Cushing, the lusty young farmhand who refused to take "No" for an answer from the young lady's mother, when the girl herself was willing.

The ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace Walter C. Wyatt of Tilton at his office on Main street, and the girl's mother, who, at first urged the police to use every effort to prevent her daughter from marrying Cushing, was a willing witness.

Miss Hamm and Mr. Cushing left Tilton at midnight last Friday night, and taking a carriage to Franklin boarded the early morning train for Manchester, where they intended to get married.

Mrs. James Hamm, the girl's mother, who opposed the match because of the girl's youth, had Officer William P. Lang of Tilton wire the Manchester police as soon as she learned of the flight of her daughter, to hold the girl under arrest or else send her home.

Miss Hamm came back to Tilton and was met at the train Saturday night by her mother and the two drove to their home at Salisbury.

Cushing was not discouraged, however, and he followed on the next train from Manchester and hastened to Salisbury. His persuasive eloquence soon won the mother's consent, for yesterday Mrs. Hamm and her daughter and her prospective son-in-law appeared at Town Clerk Harris M. Morse's office in Tilton and the marriage intention papers were made out.

Cushing did not let any grass grow under his feet, and in less than two hours the three had found Justice of the Peace Wyatt, who quickly tied the nuptial knot.

The couple will live in Tilton, and Cushing, who is 24, will resume his work as head farm hand at Ora G. Ladd's big farm.

"JACK THE HUGGER"

YOUNG WOMAN SLAPPED HIS FACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DOVER, N. H., Aug. 7.—A "Jack the Hugger" has begun terrorizing young women here by stepping up to them as they are passing some dark place, grasping their arm and telling them he will see them home.

Two young women were approached in this way Wednesday evening, one on Central avenue, near the First Parish church and the other on Chapel street, in the vicinity of the dump.

In each case the young woman slapped the face of her assailant and ran. The police were notified and are investigating the affair.

MRS. HAND DIVORCED

JUDGE ALLOWS HER A SEPARATE MAINTENANCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 7.—The sensational Hand divorce case was decided here yesterday by Mr. Justice Tillinghast, who handed down a decree in the supreme court finding a divorce for Mrs. Michael Hand, Jr., wife of the millionaire Pawtucket brewer.

Mrs. Hand receives $70 a week, the custody of her four children, free use of the house in which she now lives with light, fuel, etc., use of the family carriage four times a week and a competent coachman.

The divorce is known as separate maintenance and leaves a chance for the parties to become reunited.

In his decision Justice Tillinghast finds that the allegation of extreme cruelty brought by Mrs. Hand is sustained by the evidence, and that the charge of continued drunkenness, against which defendant fought strenuously, is not sustained.

The court suggests, however, that so long as Mr. Hand indulges in liquor, even occasionally, it is not safe for Mrs. Hand to live with him.

CLOSING RACES

GOOD GOING AT THE BREEDERS' MEET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BANGOR, Me., Aug. 7—Good racing characterized the closing day of the Eastern Breeders' meet at Maplewood park yesterday. The 2:25 trot and 2:21 pace were hotly contested. The summary:

Trotting, foals of 1900 and under, open class, purse $300. Oakley Baron, br s, by Baron Oakes, won; Scobie's Maid, b m, second. Best time, 2:25¼.

2:21 pace, purse $300. Bennie, bg, by Prescott, won; Beatrice Grady, second; Doncaro, bg, third. Best time, 2:17¾.

2:30 trot, purse $300. Harvard, ch g, by Golden Shope, won; Mountain Boy, bg, second; Glory, bg, third. Best time, 2:25¾.

2:25 trot, purse $300. Fairview Chimes, br g, by Chimes, won; Reby Wilkes, bm, second; Don Wilkes, bg, third. Best time, 2:22¾.

NON-UNION BAND

CAUSING TROUBLE FOR FALL RIVER'S LABOR DAY PARADE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 7.—At a meeting of the Central Labor union last night the plan of the weavers' association to hire a certain non-union band of New Bedford for the Labor Day parade here, was warmly debated. A protest against such action was entered by the Musicians' union, which declared that its members would withdraw from the parade if the band was allowed to take part. The weavers' delegates said that they had tried to get a union band but were unable to do so and had hired a non-union organization. A heated discussion occupied two hours.

In defence of the New Bedford band it was stated that its members had been unfairly treated. This band and another New Bedford band had tried unsuccessfully to form a union. Then a third band of that city, without notifying the first mentioned bands, had gone ahead and organized a union and elected officers. Members of the first band thereupon refused to join and have been acting independently. A committee of three was finally appointed to confer with members of the non-union band and endeavor to persuade them to join the New Bedford union.

The committee will report Aug. 20.

BIGAMY CHARGE

Haverhill Man Finds Himself in Trouble

FALSE FRIEND CAUSE OF HIS TROUBLE

Defendant Thought First Wife Was Dead

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVERHILL, Aug. 6.—Giuseppe Montanaro was held in $500 bonds for the superior court by Judge Abbott in the district court yesterday on a charge of polgamy.

Over in Italy, sheltered among the hills, is the little town of Nola. In 1886 two young people of the town, both popular among their peasant kind, wooed and wed. They were Montanaro and Maria Concetta Napolitano. Far away there lived another lover, who had been unsuccessful in his wooing, but who did not give up all hope.

Giuseppe came to America to better his fortunes but later heard that his wife and child were dead.

This announcement dampened Giuseppe's ambitions and marred his happiness but he continued to struggle.

The false friend, for such he had proven himself, knew the result of his work and bided his time. After being apparently forsaken, Maria, who was yet alive, accepted his attentions. In America Giuseppe was living and toiling, with no hopes or ambitions, until he saw Rosana Romano of this city. Rosana was pretty and young and they grew to like each other. The liking ripened into love and finally, March 9, 1896, they went to the office of City Clerk Roberts and were married.

One day Rosana became suspicious that she was not Giuseppe's legal wife. She wrote to Italy, and in response there came an official climax in the form of a statement from the consul that Maria and her child were yet alive and that the report concerning her death was false.

From consul to consul the word was sent back, and again to Rosana in Haverhill came the word of the former marriage and of the existence of the first wife and her child, and then, after weeks of delay, the warrant for Giuseppe's arrest was issued and Wednesday night he was taken into custody by Patrolman Barrett.

He appeared in the district court yesterday. He was charged with polygamy and pleaded not guilty. City Solicitor Essex Abbott appeared for him and waived examination, the case being one within the jurisdiction of the superior court.

$100,000,000 INCREASE

IN THE PAY OF RAILROAD EMPLOYES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—The sum of $100,000,000 was said yesterday by Slason Thompson, editor of the Railway News, to represent the increase of the pay rolls of the railroads in the United States in the last year.

"Some of this, probably $50,000,000," he said, "is due to the natural increase of the business of the country; but the balance comes from the concerted action of the unions, particularly of the conductors and trainmen, in asking for and securing increases in pay.

"This movement, to which the Rock Island is the latest to yield, began a year ago in Kansas City.

"The Rock Island was reluctant to grant the desired increase, and did so only after a referendum vote of its employes showed that the men were firm in their demands."

EWEN ATTACKED

At Trial of Jett and White

By Associated Press to The Sun

CYNTHIANA, Ky., Aug. 7.—In the case of the commonwealth against Jett and White, the defence yesterday put Henry F. Wilson, a drummer of this place, on the witness stand to prove the existence of a large hole in the floor of the court house at Jackson. Curtis Jett and Thomas White were recalled and asked by the defence to go to the farther end of the court house and stand side by side with their backs to the jury and their hats on. This is upon the theory of the defence that they looked much alike and so nearly the same height that at several yards they could not be told apart.

Captain Golden, one of the attorneys, announced that the defence rested as to evidence in chief. The afternoon session was taken up in witnesses introduced to impeach Captain B. J. Ewen.

Some 25 witnesses from his own county and other witnesses from Powell county, where he resided until he moved to Jackson, some ten years ago, testified that his morality was bad, as well as his reputation for truthfulness. Others testified that he was a church-goer and never drank whiskey or gambled. Many of them appeared to be confused on cross examination.

Joseph Bruner, who testified for the defence in the first trial, was called by the prosecution in rebuttal, and said that Ewen did tell him that he knew who killed Marcum.

BUTLER VETS

GETTING READY FOR THE SALEM MUSTER.

The Butler Vets will not take in the muster at Manchester today, as they are now concentrating all their energy upon preparations for the big league must at Salem the 20th inst. At that time it is expected to induce the mayor and a large contingent to accompany them on to victory.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

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A special showing this week of a 36x36 Table Cover with linen ground and embroidered work of white mercerized cotton. The designs are very handsome. The combination of white and linen forms a contrast at once striking yet modest and refreshing in their color scheme. You'll find these covers in the art department and

The Price is only **49c each**

Notice Special Window Display.

A Toothsome Morsel

Fruit Bon Bons

Worth 15c lb.

Today and Tomorrow **10c lb.**

Do you want a

White Shirt Waist

At a Very Little Price?

If you do, here's the place to get it. We have about 25 dozen that go on sale this morning. The price is little, so little that if we could reproduce a facsimile of the various styles on this page the 25 dozen would be gone before the afternoon edition went to press. There are Waists in the lot worth $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50.

The Price now is **98c**

Toilet Articles

Only One Each to a Customer

Mennen's Borated Talcum Powder. 14c.

Woodbury's Facial Soap 16c cake.

Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet soap 11c cake.

Aluminum Soap Boxes 9c each.

Eastman's "Yerong Violet" Talcum Powder 10c.

Wire Hair Brushes 7c each.

Cuticura Soap, large size, 15c cake.

Wm. N. Howell's "Witch Hazel" 9c bottle.

Eastman's "Verona Violet" Talcum 25c "Violet Smelling Salts" 9c box.

Roger & Gallet's Rice Powder 16c package.

Colgate's Violet Toilet Water 10c bottle.

Sachet Powder in packages 5c package.

"Satin Skin" Cream 21c jar.

Wm. Campbell's Almond Cream 19c bottle.

Bailey's Rice Powder 5c package. package.

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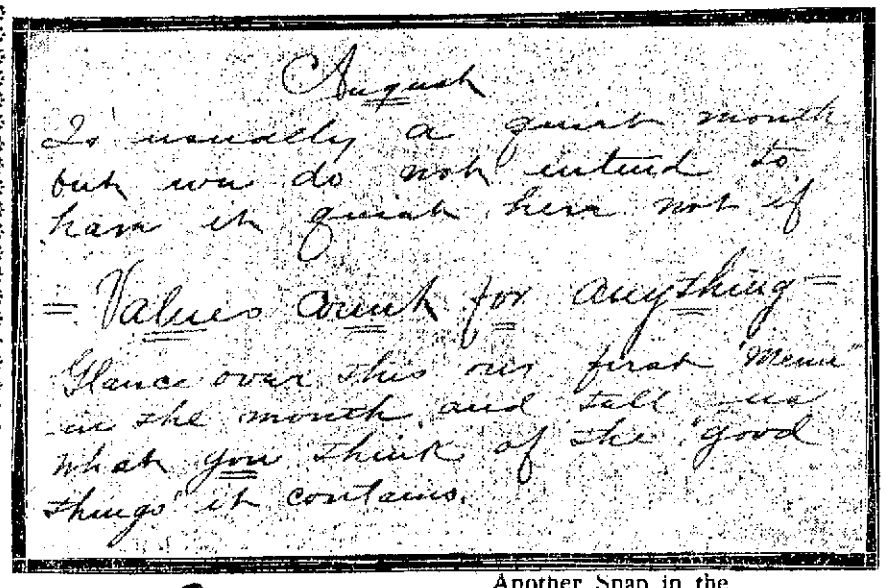

Another Snap in the

Corset Section

IN CORSETDOM

The name "American Lady" is synonymous with comfort and style. Women who have worn these Corsets will wear no other make. This has been proven time and time again. We do not mean to say that the "American Lady Corsets" are the only good Corsets on the market: no indeed, but we do say that there are none better. However

THIS IS OUR STORY

We are the only distributers of "American Lady Corsets" in Lowell, and when the makers have a special lot, naturally they favor us. That is the case in this instance. They have just sent us 50 doz. that we shall sell at

Half Price and Less Than the Half Price of the Regular Goods

In the lot are short, medium and long Corsets, in batistes, satine and coutil, not old absolete styles but just what you would buy in our regular stock. Not a Corset in the lot worth less than $1.00; some worth $1.25 and $1.50. You can

Choose now at **59c Pair**

(On Sale in front of Elevator.)

Notice Window Exhibition.

Are you going away? Perhaps your wardrobe needs replenishing. Here are three good things in

UNDERMUSLINS

WHITE SKIRTS

These Skirts were bought to sell for $1.25, but we are going to make them a leader for Friday and Saturday. The cotton is excellent quality, the sizes full and generous. They have a 15-in. flounce edged with 8-in. Hamburg; the top is trimmed with 5 rows of hemstitched tucks. All in all the value is invincible.

The Price for Friday and Saturday will be **98c**

CORSET COVERS

This cover is our "Special" Twenty-five Cent Garment, a leader in its class; the material is good quality cambric, the neck and arms size are edged with lace and 2 rows of lace insertion finishes the front; the style is French.

And the Price only **25c**

DRAWERS

These garments always sell for 25c. They are made from good cotton. The bottom has 4-in. ruffle with trimmings of hemstitched tucks.

The Price for Friday and Saturday **19c Pair**

A SPLENDID VALUE IN

Hose Supporters

We don't see how they do it; we don't, indeed. The elastic by the yard would cost as much, yes more, than the completed article is with buckles and holders, but that isn't our lookout nor yours, is it? The elastic is a fancy frill, in assorted colors.

The Price **10c Pair**

Scientific Palm Reading by

Mme Allidah

Assisted by Mme Katherine

Your character is stamped on your palm as indelibly as a tattoo on a seaman. To a scientific Reader it is a photograph of your life on which the lines of fate stand out clearly and distinctly.

It is, therefore, with pleasure that we recommend to our patrons these great scientific Palmists, Mme. Allidah and Mme. Katherine. Your past, present and future read for you in a manner that leaves no doubt in your mind that these women are indeed queens of palmistry.

10c a Reading

Reading Booths Rear of Millinery Dept.

3 Winners—You'll find them in the

BASEMENT SECTION

LINEN TOWELS.

All linen, too (not the kind that have floated by a flax patch and liking the looks thereof assumed the name "linen.") These are the genuine article, not the finest quality, but excellent for the price. The size is 18x36, good heavy weight with fast color, red border

This Lot 4 for 25c

Did you ever buy a Linen Towel for less than 12½c?

KAMONA HANDKERCHIEFS

Blue and Red, oil-boiled colors, venetian patterns, size 24x24. This Lot 8c each

FAST COLORED PRINTS.

Merrimack and Allen Prints, not Remnants, but full pieces, light and dark colors, the dark colors are worth 6½c.

Choice of either 5c yard

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps

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Here's a good thing in

Hosiery

We are overstocked in our 50c grades of Women's Hose. To effect a quick reduction we have made a very low price on them for Friday and Saturday. The assortments include LACE and FANCY EFFECTS in black and colors, and the price will be

Only 36c pair

A King

In Soap

It is called "KING COCOA"; a pressed castile toilet soap, guaranteed absolutely pure; made from the finest selected COCHIN COCOA OIL; 8 full ounces of absolute purity in every cake.

The Price only **5c cake**

Special Sale

Asters

Saturday morning **1c each**

Large full blossoms.

Spun Glass

Petticoats

We know this garment is a crack-a-jack, for we judge by the way it has sold, and we have only had it in stock a week. This is the first time, however, we have given it publicity. The material is a fine spun glass cloth with very high lustre; the sizes are not skimped, rather the reverse; the bottom is finished with deep accordion plaited flounce, headed with 2 in. pinking, and the

Price is only **98c**

Invincible? Well, Read and See if you can beat these values in the

Men's Furnishing Section

BOYS' PERCALE SHIRTS.

Light weight and good patterns, full sizes, worth 29c, now 15c each.

MEN'S SUSPENDERS.

Heavy and light weight webs, leather and mohair ends. Regular 25c grade, 14c pair.

MEN'S HOSE.

The "Hooper Knit" fast black, spliced heel and toe; seconds of the 1st quality; sell for 25c. These are 9c pair.

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Inconsistent.

He—You are a cruel, heartless creature.

She — How absurd! A moment ago you said I had stolen your heart, and now you say I haven't any.

Love.

He—Think twice, love, before you refuse me.

She—Why should I think twice?

He—Because, my dear, a woman never thinks twice the same.

Error In Art.

"Silence!" said a critic in an art gallery, reading an inscription. "The idea of representing silence by a woman!"

Wary.

Doctor—Put out your tongue.

Little Tommy—No fear. I did that to the teacher yesterday and got an awful whipping.

WELL CAST.

Slowboy (sighing)—The sal lr makes me feel like a two-year-
Gaygirl (archly)—Well, you certainly act like one.

PLAYED TOO WELL.

Actor—He can play "drunken parts" better than any one in the profession.

Manager—Yes, but the trouble is he is too fond of rehearsing.

AS TO DRINKS.

Gladys—They tell me Mr. Bangs drinks terribly.

Gwennie—Oh, horribly! He pours it out in his saucer every time.

WHERE HE FAILED.

"He says that he can marry any girl he pleases."

"He can. But he never pleases one."

His Fatal Error.

"Of course I will be homeller some day," she whispered.

"Impossible," he replied gallantly. And he marvels that she sent his presents back.

His Attitude.

"I fear," said the tutor, "that you are not up on mathematics."

"No," candidly confessed the scion of the plutocratic house, "I am down on 'em."

Peace.

Wife—Oh, John, the baby's got a tooth!

Husband—Well, I hope he'll be satisfied now. He's been crying for it long enough.

Good Reason.

"What makes men with money so scarce?"

"The men who try to borrow from them."

HAD HIM THERE.

He: "We must economize. Suppose, darling, that you try your hand at making your own clothes."

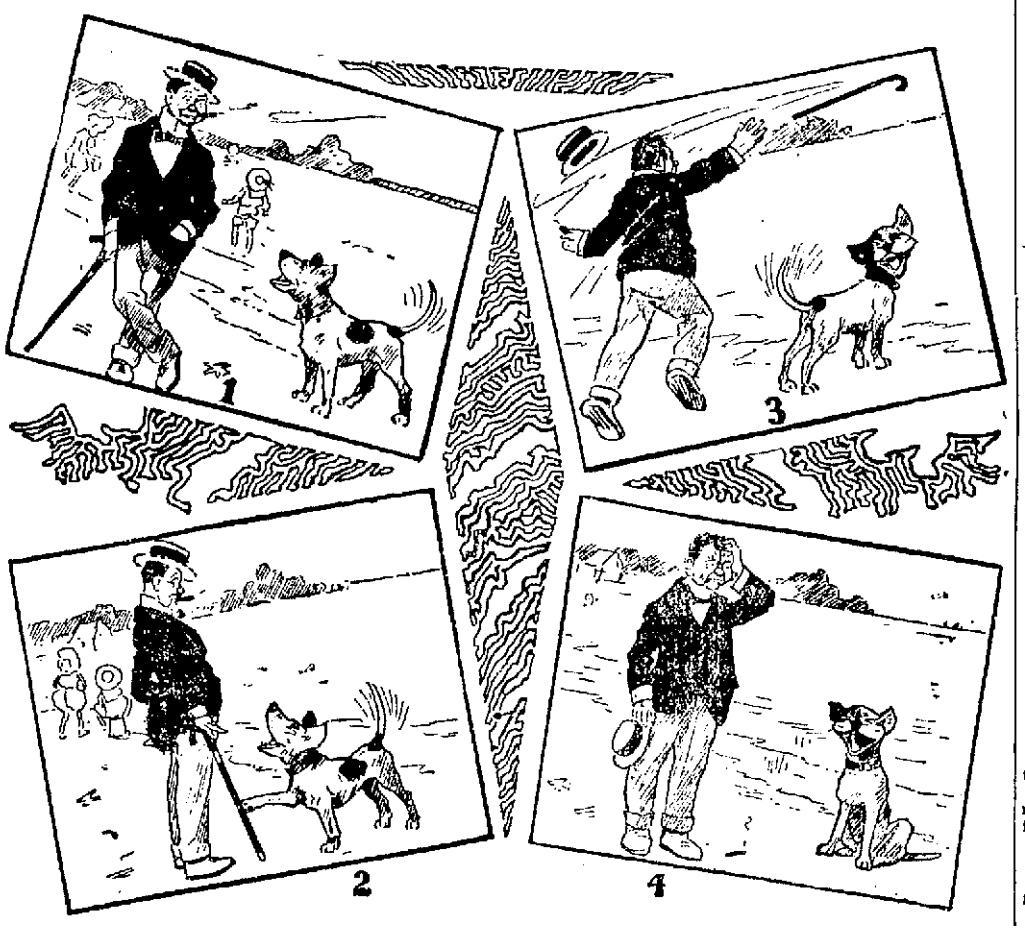
She: "Oh, George, dear, I never could do that! Suppose I begin by trying to make yours."

ASK AND SEE.

He: "What would you say if I were to ask you to be my wife?"

She: "Oh, I know well enough. I made up my mind about that long ago. But there'll be time enough to tell you when you ask."

FIDO'S LITTLE JOKE.



PROMPT ANSWER.

Amateur Conjurer—Has any gentleman in the audience an egg?

One gentleman had, and the conjurer promptly got it.

LOVE'S SACRIFICE.

"Are you sure you love my daughter?"

"Love her? When I'm with her, and mosquitoes bite me, I don't even know it."

QUITE NATURAL.

"Do you think the photographer flattered her?"

"I suppose so. Every one does."

EVERYTHING IS.

"De Broke seems to have troubles of his own."

"I guess you don't know De Broke."

"Why not?"

"He'd have 'em in his wife's name."

FARMER JONES SHOWS HIS WAY OF DOING IT.

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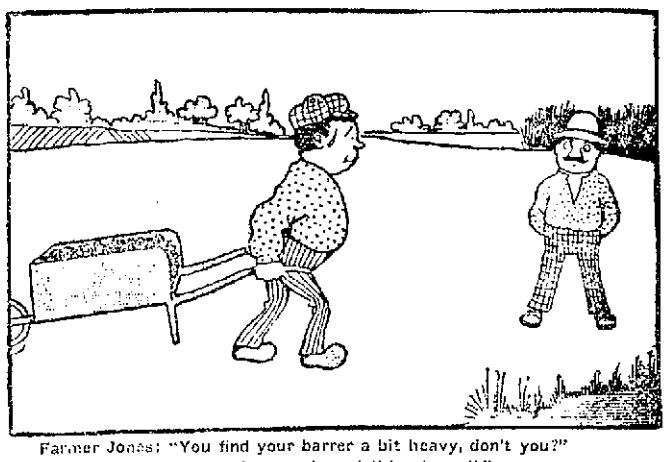

Farmer Jones: "You find your barrer a bit heavy, don't you?"
Farmer Smith: "Yes, it's an awkward thing to pull."
Farmer Jones: "Ah! that's because you—

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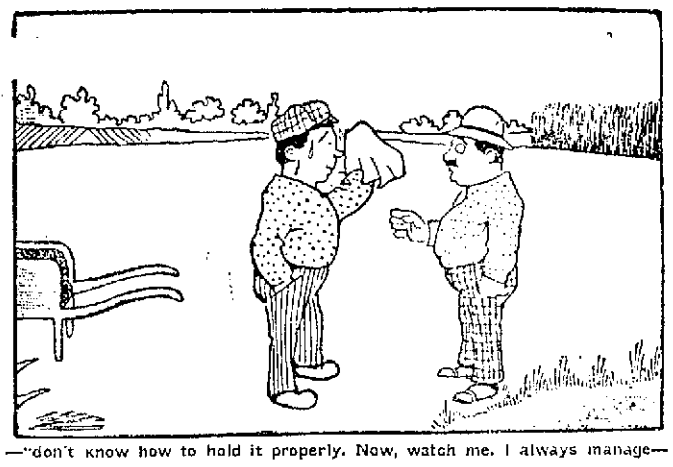

—"don't know how to hold it properly. Now, watch me. I always manage—

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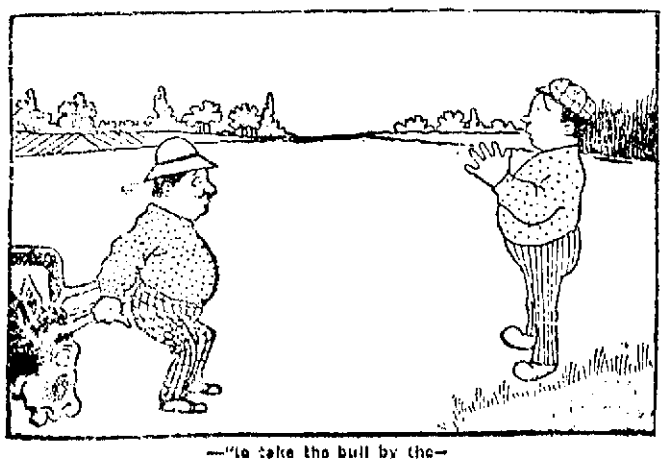

—"to take the bull by the—

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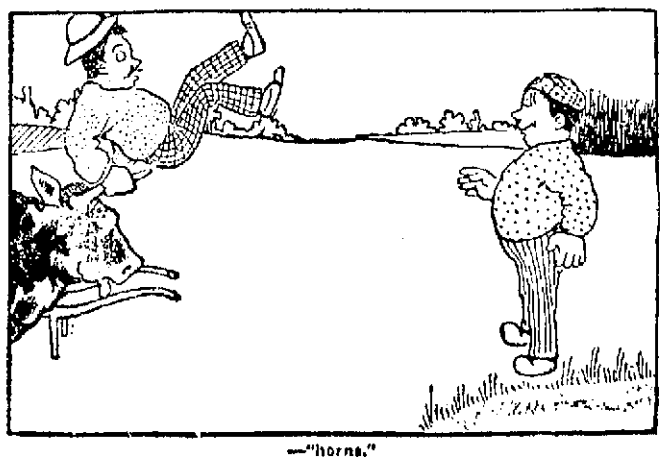
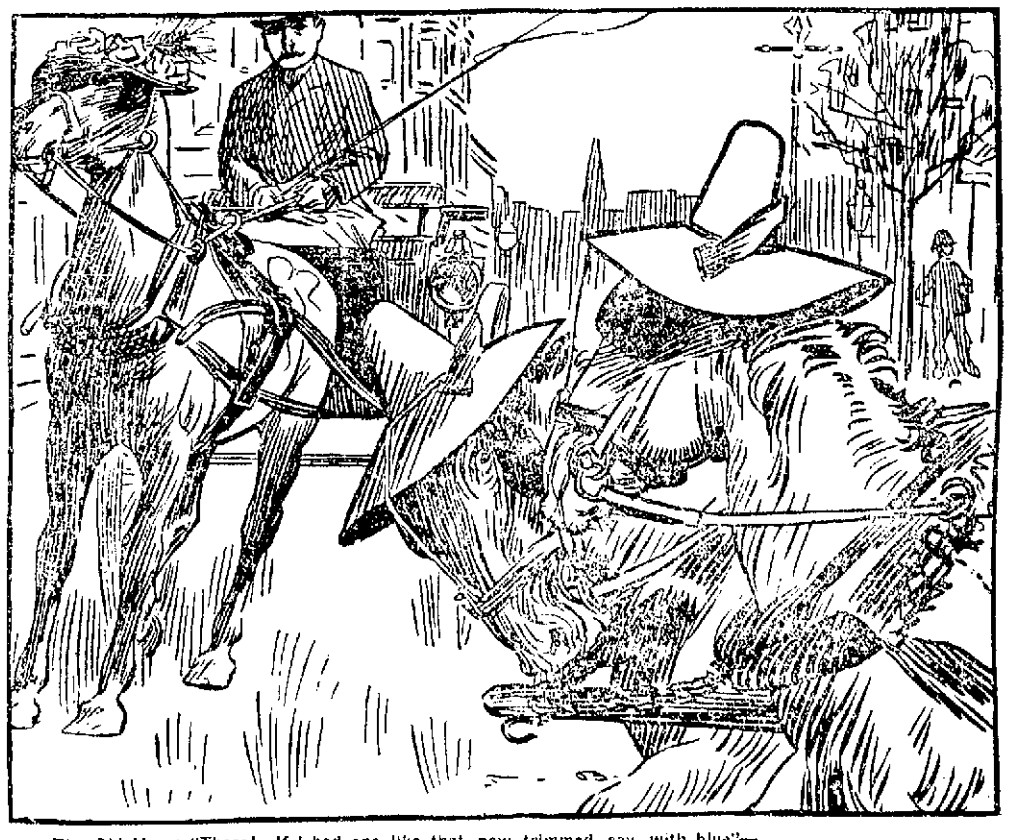


—"horns."

THE ETERNAL FEMININE.



The Old Mare: "There! If I had one like that, now, trimmed, say, with blue"—

Old Dobbin: "Dash my blinkers, my dear! These hats are making you giddier than the sun would have done."

THE CAUSE.

"What's the matter with Bingley?"

"Lame compliment."

"Twice?"

"No. Triplets."

A DIFFERENCE IN TERMS.

"She plays the piano a great deal, doesn't she?"

"It may be play for her, but for us it is far more serious."

SO SAYS THE PROVERB.

Mamie—I suppose you love your fiance from the bottom of your heart?

Edyth—Of course. But then there is always room at the top, you know.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.43	6.50	6.00	7.07
6.22	7.40	6.30	7.26
s6.39	7.30	7.54	8.54
6.42	7.55	8.25	9.01
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7.31	8.50	e10.00	10.37
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es7.19	8.00	10.30	11.34
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SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
s6.30	7.30	9.00	10.07
7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.48	3.00	3.59
9.20	10.12	e7.30	8.08
s4.25	5.30	e8.30	9.08
s5.58	7.00	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.44	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.02	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.36	4.55
2.30	3.44	4.25	5.45
3.10	4.10	4.59	6.20
5.55	6.04	6.04	7.05
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SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.26	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.16	5.00	6.25
5.30	6.55	8.40	9.40
8.45	9.45		

Trains by western division leave Lowell from Middlesex St. Station.

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LOCAL NEWS

Printer—F. A. M. Tobin's Printery.

Finest Wedding Hacks at O'Donnell's stables, 81 Jefferson street. Tel. 439-4.

SATURDAY IS QUARTER DAY AT WASHINGTON SAVINGS BANK, TOWERS' CORNER.

WHITE CROSS CONVENTION AT OLD ORCHARD AUGUST 17 TO 24—REDUCED RATES VIA BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD.

The White Cross Convention will be held at Old Orchard, Me., August 17 to 24, inclusive.

A large convention is expected and a first-class program has been arranged.

Round trip tickets at reduced rates good going August 17 to 21 inclusive and returning August 18 to 25 inclusive, will be on sale at this station and principal stations on the Boston & Maine railroad. For list of stations and rates, see Boston & Maine posters or inquire of agent.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

Wilfred Kershaw
(Organist at St. John's Church.)
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PATHETIC SCENE

Mother's Heart Wrung at Girl's Shame

DAUGHTER WAS SENT TO THE REFORMATORY

On a Charge of Night Walking

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7.—There was a sensational and pathetic scene in the second session of the municipal court late yesterday afternoon at the conclusion of the trial of two young women who were accused of being nightwalkers, when Judge Burke sentenced them to the reformatory for women at Sherborn, and the mother of one of them fainted in the court room, came out of the faint to go into a series of hysterics, which so affected her daughter that she, too, became hysterical, and ended it up by fainting away as she was hurried out of the court room into the house of detention.

The defendants were Phoebe Cadoza, a beautifully formed Italian girl, who has wonderful black eyes, a magnificent head of jet black hair and a rich olive complexion, and Mary E. Flaherty, about 19 years old.

The Cadoza girl listened unmoved to the testimony given by division 1 patrolmen, who told of seeing her on the streets of the North End frequently, and of her going to hotels with different men.

She was arrested several months ago on complaint of her mother, who accused her at that time of being a stubborn child, and on that occasion Judge Burke placed her on probation on the understanding that her family should move away from Commercial street, where the girl was born and brought up. They moved the girl to the home of her brother-in-law at 377 Chelsea street, East Boston, but the evidence yesterday was to the effect that Phoebe had been in the habit of coming over to the city every night and staying out late.

There wasn't a sign of emotion on the young girl's face when the judge announced that he found her guilty, and told her she could take her choice between going voluntarily to the house of the Good Shepherd or of being sentenced to an indefinite term in the reformatory.

She said calmly enough that she would not go to the house of the Good Shepherd, so the judge ordered her committed to the reformatory. She appealed in a businesslike manner, and sat down in the dock.

Her old mother, who was sitting in the court room, didn't for a minute or so comprehend what the sentence meant, but when she did she moaned feebly and fell back across the seat she was occupying.

She came out of her faint as some of her friends picked her up to carry her to the women's waiting room outside the court and went into a violent condition of hysteria, during which she cried wildly for her "baby girl."

The cause of the old mother's anguish showed her first signs of feeling when she heard the older woman's lamentations, and began crying herself. The shrieks of the mother could be heard from the room to which she had been taken, and the girl became hysterical herself and was fairly screaming when she was taken out by a court officer, who hastened to get her back into the women's prison. Just as he got her through the door leading to the cells the girl collapsed entirely in a dead faint and had to be carried bodily into the prison.

Mary E. Flaherty, the Cadoza girl's companion in misery, also used to live in Commercial street, North End, but lives now, or has recently, on Mystic street, Orient Heights. She claims she is the wife of Patrick Flaherty, but that she has good reasons for not living with him.

She told the judge she would go to her mother and stay there if he would give her her freedom, but he sentenced her to the reformatory.

The Flaherty girl appealed and was crying as if her heart would break when she was led back to the prison.

Do You Know That the Celebrated West End Brand
FLOUR
Is sold to the best family trade in this city by the
LOWELL COAL CO.
$5 Per Barrel
Use a barrel and as long as you eat bread you will have no other.
LOWELL COAL CO.
15 THORNDIKE ST.
43 CENTRAL ST.

NO BLACKLIST

MARSHAL EATON DENIES STORY ABOUT NASHUA DRUNKS.

The Nashua Telegraph last evening published the following:

"An out-of-town paper today published a story that a black list had been started and that Marshal Eaton had notified the saloons that they were to sell no liquor to a man by the name of Rock. This brought forth a flat denial from the marshal this morning. He stated to the newspapermen at the police station that the publication was a gross prevarication.

The marshal said an inquiry had been made of him Wednesday regarding this and that he denied that there was such a thing as a black list here. He said that no complaints had been made to him regarding any drunkard.

CONCILIATION BOARD

OBLIGED TO APPEAL TO JUDICIAL COURT JUDGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 7.—The conciliation board appointed to adjust the differences between the anthracite miners and the operators yesterday, failed to agree on certain grievances, and made an appeal to the judges of the third judicial circuit of the United States court for the appointment of a seventh man or umpire. The questions in dispute will be referred to this umpire, whose decision will be final and binding on both parties.

The strike commission in its award creating the conciliation board directing that if its six members, three from each side, could not agree, an umpire should be named by one of the judges of the third judicial circuit of the United States. Judge Gray, who was president of the strike commission is one of the judges of the third circuit.

IS LIFE WORTH LIVING?

A great deal depends on the liver.

The joy of living, of feeling the rich, red blood leap through the veins; the quickening pulses, the enjoyment of the good things of life—all these blessings are denied to him who is a slave to his liver.

Your liver cannot work properly if your stomach and bowels are out of order—if you suffer from Constipation, Indigestion or Dyspepsia. Abbey's Salt of Fruits, a most pleasant tasting tonic laxative, aids digestion, acts gently on the bowels, cleanses the system and keeps the blood rich, the circulation perfect, the nerve centres keyed to the right tone and the whole anatomy aglow with the fire and the vigor of good health.

Two teaspoonfuls in a tumbler of water taken at bedtime or in the morning will meet with the unqualified approval of your liver, stomach and bowels and set you feeling right for the day.

Drug stores everywhere sell Abbey's Effervescent Salt—25c., 50c. and $1 per bottle. If you have never used it, let us send you a trial bottle free to-day. Address The Abbey Effervescent Salt Co., Ltd., 9 to 15 Murray St., New York City; 144 Queen Victoria St., London, Eng. or 712 Craig St., Montreal, Can.

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DIVORCE DECREE

Granted to Susie Mitchell Seeley

HER HUSBAND FIGURED IN CHAPMAN RAID

They Were Married Three Years Ago

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Mrs. Susie Mitchell Seeley, who married Herbert Barnum Seeley four years after the bachelor dinner at Sherry's was raided by Captain Chapman, has won an interlocutory decree of divorce, which has been granted by Supreme Court Justice Truax. Her husband, who inherited $414,444.44 from his grandfather P. T. Barnum, bitterly fought the case, appearing on the stand to testify against the charges brought by his wife.

It will be recalled that in 1896 Clinton H. Seeley was about to be married and his brother Herbert, who was his best man, concluded to give him a banquet as a send-off that would live in his memory forever. He did. But the trouble was that it lived in every other person's memory and the words "Seeley dinner," have become as standard as "Lucullus' feasts," and "Nero's banquets." Since the dinner Mr. Seeley came into his fortune, and since then it is said that his losses on the turf have been particularly heavy.

The referee's hearing of the divorce suit was held behind closed doors. None of the details of his wife's charges became public. Mr. Seeley took the stand in his own defence, denying all of his wife's allegations. It will be three months before the decree goes into effect.

The divorce comes at the end of only three years of married life. Mrs. Seeley was Miss Susie Mitchell, the daughter of a wealthy journalist, A. P. Mitchell.

Charges were made against Captain Chapman for making the famous raid, but they were dismissed by Theodore Roosevelt, who was then president of the police board.

About two years ago Seeley expressed a wish to have control of his own fortune and his brother and Mrs. Thompson turned over to him the $414,444.44 which was the balance due him.

He went into the brokerage business with his brother, but found the work too exacting and essayed to be a racehorse man. He purchased a number of horses but none of them had sufficient speed to make him a king of the turf. One of his horses, Sentry, was primed for a "killing," last year and all of his friends were given a tip to bet on Sentry. Sentry's lack of speed came near financially wrecking a lot of the young men with fortunes.

When the dinner indictment against him was dismissed he went to Cuba to fight Spaniards. When he came back he took the gold cure at White Plains and then went to Europe where he spent large sums in the continental gambling centres, being sued once for 16,000 francs lost at baccarat at Basle, Switzerland.

In his youth he entered West Point, but resigned upon being court-martialed. His friends say he has spent money so lavishly since taking his fortune in his own hands that now he has little of what was formerly his.

BALL FIELD ROMANCE

RECALLED BY DEATH OF MRS. RADBOURNE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 7—A baseball romance, which deeply interested the lovers of the sport here, was recalled this week by the death at Chicago of Mrs. Caroline Stanhope Radbourne, widow of the famous player of the Providence league team of 20 years ago.

There were many suitors for the hand of Carrie Stanhope when she was a resident of this city in the early 80s. She was attractive and a fashionable dresser, and her admirers were numerous among the baseball fraternity and the theatrical profession.

If there was one thing that Carrie Stanhope loved better than anything else it was a stubbornly fought game of baseball. She personally knew every man of the league teams, and many of them used to make their headquarters here at her big boarding house in lower Washington street.

Among the brilliant pitchers of those days was Charlie Radbourne. Charming Carrie Stanhope had captivated him, but she looked with more favor upon another player, a member of the old Chicago team, keen and persistent rivals of the grays.

This rivalry in love intensified the rivalry on the diamond, and one day before the Grays and the Chicago nine were to meet there was a good deal of cash wagered on the result at Carrie Stanhope's, and some one suggested in a spirit of fun that the game of the morrow should settle the rivalry between Radbourne and the Chicago man for the hand of Carrie.

That game has gone down in baseball annals as one of the fiercest ever played. Providence won and to Radbourne went the lion's share of the credit for the victory.

Seated in the grand stand among the frenzied crowd that shouted themselves hoarse yelling for "Rad" was a handsome, well-dressed woman. Intently she watched every play, and those nearby noticed a deadly pallor on her face as the deciding run was made.

Three persons met on the diamond near the home plate soon after and then was heard the remark, "She's yours, 'Rad,' for you won her and the game."

Soon there was a wedding and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Radbourne went to Illinois to live in the groom's home town. Radbourne died some time ago, and the widow went to Vernon avenue, Chicago, to pass the last of her days.

The maiden name of the bride thus won was Caroline Clarke and her home was at Newport, this state. She had been married in extreme youth to an engineer of that city, but there was a disagreement and then she made Providence her home and divorce made it possible for her to wed the athletic and lucky Radbourne.

SOLD IN SLAVERY

Remarkable Story Told by a Girl

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 7—Miss Louise Haby, a 17-year-old girl, told yesterday a remarkable story of being sold as a baby for $25, into a life of bondage and of final rescue. Her father, she says, bartered her. Her place of slavery, she asserts, was a South Dakota ranch. She was compelled to do the roughest of a man's work and was forced to submit to all sorts of indignities.

For two months the young woman's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Mayer, 622 Normal avenue, have been laying plans for her deliverance, and yesterday she arrived from Highmore, S. D., over the Northwestern road.

"Every neighbor within a radius of 10 miles from the ranch in which Miss Haby was held," said Mr. Mayer yesterday, "assisted in her escape. It was effected by relays of ranch owners with teams, each taking her so many miles and then delivering her to the next ranch owner.

"When she reached Chicago yesterday she was dressed in the garb of a South Dakota laborer. She wore a broad brimmed hat, a dress of one garment that covered her entire body, and brogan shoes heavier than those worn by any Chicago laborer."

Antonio Haby, the young woman's father who held a claim in South Dakota in the eighties, is declared to have sold the child when 2 years old to a man named Lemke for $25.

"From the time I was large enough," said Miss Haby, "I was made to do the work of a man on Lemke's ranch. I arose at 5 o'clock in the morning before the other members of the family. During cold winter evenings I would pump water for 60 cows from a well. For a short time Sunday afternoon only—I would have an hour to myself."

FRIDAY, AUG. 7
TO BE A
Great Day at the "Daylight Store"

WHAT? WHAT? WHAT?

$15, $18, $20 fine suits, all the small lots found when we took account of stock; many of our best sellers, to be sold at

$9.75 a Suit

You can get a $15, $18 or $20 suit at this price—seems as if it would pay you to buy for next spring, if not in need now.

THE TALBOT CLOTHING CO.
American House Block, Central and Warren Streets.

DEATH RATE HIGH.

The death rate is pretty high this week and may surpass that of last week. Up to this morning there had been 57 deaths reported at the office of the board of health, while the total number for last week was 64.

Green Trading Stamp Sale

Prices Less Than Half and Stamps Given

22 Shirt Waist Suits in Chambrays and Linens, value $5, this sale $1.49

10 Silk Shirt Waist Suits value $16.50, this sale......$7.50

120 Lawn Shirt Waists, value $1.25, this sale................59c

Tremendous Mark-Downs in Suits, Coats and Skirts

Chris Holmes
124 and 126 Merrimack St.
Lowell, Mass.

THE PROOF
THAT OUR PRICES
—ON—
Refrigerators
Are at the lowest point, is shown by the way our big line was thinned out this week. We have some Popular Sizes Left and tomorrow will be the last day of our offer of extremely
Low Prices
Our next cut will be on prices of Baby Carriages, and will start
TOMORROW
A. E. O'Heir & Co.
16 Merrimack Street

STEAMSHIP TICKETS

To all points in Europe on the Cunard, Dominion, White Star and all the leading steamship lines at Murphy's Steamship Agency, 18 Appleton street. Money orders sent to all parts of United States, Canada and Europe. Tickets to St. John, Halifax, Yarmouth and all points in Nova Scotia.

J. F. O'DONNELL & SONS
FUNERAL UNDERTAKERS,
320, 322, 324 Market St.
Personal attention given to every detail. Funeral chapel, also morgue, connected with this establishment. Tel. 429-3.

SUMMER FUEL

A clean, healthy fuel for your kitchen. Try a load of our DRY COARSE KINDLING WOOD. It is just the thing for light cooking or kindling coal fires. Postal or telephone orders will receive prompt attention.

JOHN P. QUINN
Cor. Gorham and Dix Sts.
All Gorham street cars pass the yard.

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Ask and you shall receive; that is, if you advertise in The Sun.

Physicians' and Surgeons'
SOAP
10c - - CAKE

C. B. Coburn & Co.
63 Market St.

CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP SALE

The Greatest Sacrifice of the Year !!

We've Certainly Hit the Bottom

Other Great Reductions have been made—the inducements are bigger than ever—the prices are smaller than the clothing history of Lowell has any record of. On many lines of Men's Suits, Light and Heavy Overcoats, our unprecedented mark-down prices have reduced stocks 'way, 'way down, though assortments of sizes are still good. In order to close these lots at once we have still further clipped the prices at which we have sold such enormous quantities of them the past two weeks.

Other Great Reductions Have Been Made !!

STOP AND THINK

The sort of Clothing that smart dressers will appreciate. Hand tailored from the swellest, up-to-date and best quality fabrics. Rank thinking men cannot resist

All that remain of our Men's and Young Men's $8, $9 and $10 Outing Suits. TODAY and SATURDAY they go at just **$4.95**

Men's $18 and $20 Suits, TODAY and SATURDAY **$9.75**

Boys' D. B. 2-Piece Suits. Sold up to $3.50. Down to **$1.65**

Boys' 35c Knee Pants, down to **19 cents**

About 150 Spring Top Coats, ten or twelve different styles, that have sold up to $12.00. To close TODAY and TOMORROW at **$4.95**

Men's $22 and $25 Suits, TODAY and SATURDAY **$14.75**

Children's $3 and $5 Vestee Suits, now **$1.00**

Boys' up to 16 years size Suits, that have sold up to $5 and $6. Down at choice for **$2.95**

About 300 men's Fine Worsted, Cheviot and Cassimere Suits, in light, medium and heavy weights, a large variety of different patterns, but of course not all sizes in each. Sold all through the season up to $16.50. To close at **$7.75**

Men's $4.50 and $5 Trousers. To close at **$2.95**

Men's $2 and $2.50 Trousers, now **$1.00**

All that remain of our 50c and 75c Men's Straw Hats, down to **19 cents**

These Reduction Prices Shout!

FURNISHING GOODS

You'll Never Hear of Such Bargains Again

"Stag Brand" Custom Made $1 and $1.25 Negligee Shirts. Sale price 69c

Regular 50c and 75c Fine Madras Shirts, all styles, all sizes. Sale price 35c, 3 for $1

All that remain of our $1.50 and $2

Men's High-Class Shirts, go at choice for 89c

Men's 15c Suspenders .12 1-2c

Men's 37 1-2c Underwear 15c

Men's 50c Overalls 38c

Several good styles of 15c Linen Collars, 3c 2 for 5c

Midget Silk Bow Ties 7c Each

All our well-known Work Shirts, regular 50c kinds, now 39c

All our regular $1.50 Black Stiff and Soft Hats, now 89c

Genuine Lamson & Hubbard $3 Hats. Sale price $1.95

10c Collar Buttons 4 for 4c

25c, 50c and 75c Cuff Buttons, to close at 19c Pair

The present Owner Positively Retires from Business...

and sells these goods at these sacrifices with only one object in view, and that object the conversion of this large stock into cash before the new firm takes possession, Sept. 1st.

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LOWELL ONE-PRICE CLOTHING CO.
72-85 Merrimack Street.

Our 27-Year Old Reputation...

for truthfulness and square dealing is carried right into this sale. We back every representation with our personal guarantee. We make free alterations as usual.

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Why wait until tomorrow morning to get today's news of the world? Buy a late edition of the Sun and be a day ahead. Compare the night edition of THE SUN with the next morning's papers and you will see the point.

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a good newspaper which prints the news when it is news. That's why everybody buys
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SUN LATEST

FIVE O'CLOCK

CONTRIBUTION BOX

Will be Established in Merrimack Square Today

Mayor Howe Acts on The Sun's Suggestion — Many Officials at Relief Depot—Contributions of Clothing Received — Committee Should Repair Buildings at Once

Mayor Howe has taken up The Sun's suggestion that a contribution box be placed in Merrimack square and notified this office yesterday that he would attend to the matter right away. The box will probably be placed on a pole in front of Carter & Sherburne's store.

The relief depot was opened in the Free church, 150 Middlesex street, yesterday and is now ready for business.

The depot is open from 9 to 12 and from 2 to 4 o'clock, when consultations may be had regarding relief with Rev. Mr. Wright or his assistant, Mr. Favor. Identification cards may be obtained from Mr. A. C. Blaisdell, chairman of the selectmen of Tewksbury, at his residence or from his assistants.

Contributions of clothing or bedding were received in the afternoon from Mrs. A. C. Parsons, W. A. Bishop, Mrs. Charles W. Taylor and several others. The committee wants it understood that it does not want cast-off clothing but wearing apparel suitable for people who lost good clothing of their own by the explosion and fire.

The Sun would suggest that the committee change the hours of attendance at the relief depot, as it has knowledge of the fact that 9 to 12 and 2 to 4, while convenient, perhaps for the kind-hearted people who are attending to the relief work, are not at all convenient for those to be relieved. As an instance we quote the case of a woman, the mother of six children, who is employed in the carpet mill. She asked out this morning for 15 minutes to run over to this office to make known her loss. Her only opportunity to visit the relief depot is during the noon hour and after 6 o'clock in the evening. The relief depot is closed during the noon hour and after 4 in the afternoon. This is but one case among several and The Sun would suggest that the depot be kept open during the noon hour and for an hour in the evening.

RELIEF FUND GROWING.

The relief fund is growing steadily and shows over $10,000, and the committee should begin its distribution in certain quarters at once and not wait until the fund has been completed.

As is well known many chimneys have been blown off the houses in the vicinity so that it has been impossible to light fires in them and holes have been punctured in the roofs and side walls. Then came the cold, damp rainy weather in the wake of the disaster, leaving many a family without an opportunity to cook proper food and without protection from the elements.

As a result some families have been existing on sandwiches and coffee since the explosion and at times there has been a scarcity of these. Furthermore, the residents, particularly the children, in these houses with perforated roofs and walls, have caught cold and many have been threatened with more serious ailments.

The committee should engage a large corps of carpenters and brick masons without loss of time to go into the devastated district and make these small but imperative repairs at once. Then it should send a committee of women, who can do the work better than men, to provide for the domestic needs of the families. Some agent of the relief work should drive through the stricken district every day to ascertain their needs and provide relief as soon as possible.

Previously acknowledged	$9565.22
Boston Contributions	514.00
From Boxes Monday	57.38
Heirs of Maria T. Stevens	50.00
Fifth Street Baptist Church	40.00
Boxes, third collection	33.48
C. S. Bunting Co.	25.00
Ladd & Whitney Post, 185, G. A. R.	15.00
C. T. Upton	10.00
Chas. P. Conant	10.00
Paige Street Sunday School	5.00
A Friend from Conway, N. H.	5.00
A. L. Thompson	5.00
Golden Harvest Circle, C of F.	5.00
Harry L. Fifield	2.00
Unknown	2.00
Total	$10,344.06

FIREMEN WILL AID.

The local firemen are raising funds for the relief of the sufferers of the recent explosion at South Lowell. It is expected that the contribution made by the fire fighters will be a large one.

LAWRENCE WILL AID.

The terrible effect of the recent explosion of the Lowell powder mills was vividly recalled by Mayor Howe of Lowell in a speech given at the reception to the members of the Lawrence city government by the Lowell city fathers, at the Merrimack house, Lowell, last evening, when he appealed to them for aid in the efforts to provide for the many families made homeless by the disaster.

"I hope," he said, "that when you get back to Lawrence, you will not forget the 71 families made destitute by the terrible disaster which has recently visited our city and will help us to keep them from the poor house."

This appeal is one which must certainly receive due consideration. At the time of the terrible visitation of a cyclone to Lawrence in 1890, when many homes were wrecked, in South Lawrence, the city of Lowell was one of the first to give assistance. The members of the local city government were much impressed with the appeal of Mayor Howe and it is probable that some action will be taken in the matter of contributing to the Lowell relief fund.—Lawrence Sun.

QUESTIONS ASKED OF APPLICANTS.

Rev. Mr. Wright was at his office in Free church, this morning, at the appointed hour, and found several persons armed with the necessary identification cards awaiting the opening of the day's work.

The N. E. Tel. company has volunteered the use of a telephone at the relief depot and it will be put up this afternoon. Another relief station will be established at the scene of the explosion. Contributions of clothing were received this morning from Miss Bertha C. Robinson, Mrs. S. T. Lancaster, two friends who withheld their names, G. R. Latham and Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Field.

Each applicant for aid has to write out answers to the following questions: Name in full. Present and former street and number (if possible). Married or single? If married, how many in family? How many are at work? Ages of children. Was any member of your family killed in the explosion? If so, who. (Please give full name and age). Was any member of your family wounded by the explosion? (Please give full name and age). Was any member of your family in hospital because of injury by explosion? (Please give full name, age and the hospital). Was your house injured or destroyed? Did you have furniture destroyed? If so, what articles?

When these questions are properly answered, the committee starts the work of investigating.

LAWN PARTY TODAY.

The lawn party in aid of St. Peter's parish which was postponed on account of rain, will be held this afternoon and evening.

We call it—The doctors' medicine. You call it—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. J. C. Ayer Co. Lowell, Mass.

WELCH BROS.
Plumbers and Steam Fitters, 143 Middle street. Telephone 373-4.

WANTED—A girl to assist in housework and take care of a baby. Call at 31 Marginal street.

MRS. ROBY of "The Oceanside," Lynn Beach, is fast winning her way in the hearts of Lowellites, and many who were guests there while it was The Bay View under the late Mrs. Roby's management have returned and are delighted with young Mrs. Roby and the many changes she has made for the comfort of her guests. Rates $1 and $1.25 per day.

FOR SALE—First-class restaurant in the Highlands. Inquire 32 Branch street.

NOTICE. The funeral of John Devine of the Carlisle street will take place at 8 o'clock Saturday morning from the Sacred Heart church. Friends invited.

HURRY THE RELIEF

Families Suffer, With Plenty of Relief Funds

A local lawyer informs us that certain clients of his from the vicinity of the explosion have been in a state of practical destitution since the explosion occurred notwithstanding the fact there is plenty of money to relieve all the sufferers. The committee, it seems, is too slow in getting around to these people, where families who are left homeless or where members of the family were lost there should be a donation of reasonable amount from the relief fund, without asking so many questions as to what is to be done with the money, or why it is wanted.

It seems that there is no need of a lot of red tape in dispensing relief to those who most need it. The families are known, their sad loss is no mystery, the selectmen know all about their affliction, why should the committee put them through a lot of categorical questioning before granting relief. The families must be housed properly, they must be provided with food or with a means of keeping themselves, and it must be remembered that sandwiches and coffee is not a proper diet for the people who have passed through the shock of the explosion.

We are glad to note that Chairman Blaisdell is to open headquarters at the ruins and that the people will not have to come down town searching for the headquarters of the relief committee.

The weather since the explosion has been fearfully bad and the poor people badly housed, poorly clad and without proper food, have suffered a great deal that might have been prevented. The time has come when no family among the sufferers should be any longer left in this condition. They have not been neglected intentionally. No doubt the selectmen did all in their power, but somehow it has been very difficult to get the machinery of actual relief into operation.

Many of the people whose houses were partially destroyed might have got along fairly well if they could have started a fire; but their stoves having been smashed and the chimneys torn from houses, the windows and doors blown out, they find it impossible to save themselves from the weather. What is needed then, is carpenters and masons to close windows and doors and build chimneys. Until these things are done the people must necessarily suffer, unless the committee removes them to tenements where they will be provided for until their own houses are ready for occupancy.

DOG POISONER

Aged Druggist Had His Case Continued

Inspector Walsh Buried Ancient Meat—He Says It Will Not Keep Another Week

William H. French, arrested by Inspector Walsh yesterday afternoon and booked at the police station on the charge of exposing poisonous meat to be eaten by a dog, was in police court today and was ordered in $500 for his appearance before the court next Friday morning. Dennis O'Brien went security for Mr. French, Peter A. Fay appeared for him and D. J. Donahue will conduct the case for the commonwealth.

Mr. French is 69 years old. He at one time conducted the drug store, now run by Ellingwood & Co., corner of Merrimack and Central streets.

Following is a list of the dogs that were poisoned Wednesday and Thursday:

Dr. Lamson's pointer belonging to J. A. Willett, a Boston pug belonging to Jaques Gregoire, a black shepherd, the property of Willis Hobbs, two dogs, the property of John Mackenzie, one belonging to Daniel Clark and one owned by William Hall.

Other dogs poisoned previous to Wednesday included those owned by Samuel Flemming, a pointer; George Ansart, a pointer; Mr. Schofield, a pug; Mrs. Prentiss Webster, a St. Bernard; Frank Merrill, a pointer; A. R. Kingsbury, a shepherd; J. Gregoire, a bull; J. A. Willett, a pointer and a hound, the property of Inspector Martin Maher.

Mr. Gregorie also says that a very valuable cat which he owned was poisoned some time ago, and thinks the same stuff was used as killed the dogs.

Inspector Walsh who made the arrest had some pieces of meat in court which he found in a trunk in Mr. French's room. The latter lives at the corner of Bridge and West Fourth streets.

It was easy enough to locate Mr. Walsh while he carried the paper box that held the meat. It was a bit ancient and the inspector was not being lionized; in fact he was receiving his orders through a megaphone from the deputy, whose sense of smell is very keen.

The inspector finally buried the meat in the back yard until the case was called and nearly threw a fit when he heard the case had been continued for a week.

"How in the name of all that is good and great can I preserve that meat another week?" sighed Mr. Walsh as he stood o'er the grave of his buried beef.

TWO PICKPOCKETS

Sheeney Mike and His Pal in Police Court

Joseph Shapiro, better known as "Sheeney Mike" and Salon Yagoda were arraigned in police court this forenoon charged with larceny from the person.

John H. Garfield of Boston was the complainant, and State Officer J. H. Whitney conducted the case for the commonwealth. D. J. Murphy appeared for the defendants.

Shapiro and Yagoda were arrested in Wigginville on Thursday on the charge of having picked Mr. Garfield's pockets.

John H. Garfield was the first witness. He said that he left Lowell for the scene of the explosion at 1.30 on Thursday. The car was crowded and he was standing on the platform. He felt somebody fumbling about his pockets and later discovered that his hip pocket had been picked. He suspected Shapiro and reported his suspicions to the conductor.

"Later," said witness, "Shapiro asked me how much money I lost. I said somewhere in the vicinity of $3, and he, without further conversation, produced a $5 bill and proffered it me."

During the course of his cross-examination Mr. Murphy asked the complainant if he was in the habit of carrying his money in his hip pocket and the complainant said when he had loose bills and change he quite frequently carried it in his hip pocket.

"Seeing that Mr. Murphy has brought out the fact that you have your money in your hip pocket," said Judge Hadley, "you had better keep your hand on it."

Patrick J. Delmage, conductor of the car on which the complainant lost his money, told what he knew of the affair.

He said the defendants acted suspiciously and that they exchanged hats after the complainant had reported the loss of his money.

He said that Shapiro had a large roll of bills. He didn't see anything smaller than a $5 bill in the wad.

Patrick A. Rhodes, of the Massachusetts district police testified.

He arrested Shapiro at the entrance to River street. He found him there disputing with the guards and the arrest was made after he had been informed that Shapiro was wanted for larceny.

He took Shapiro to 7 Roper street, headquarters of the state police during their investigation of the explosion.

Witness said that, when searched at headquarters Shapiro had $17.93 in his possession.

"Shapiro told me," said witness, "that the old man had no kick coming as he had given him back his money. He told me that he found the money on the floor of the car. He said he heard the old man saying that he lost $5 and he returned it to him.

State Officer J. H. Dunham corroborated the testimony of State Officer Rhodes. He said that the defendants said they were being persecuted because they were Jews.

Constable Manley of Tewksbury, who brought the defendants to Lowell, told the court what he knew about the affair. His testimony did not develop anything new and after State Officer Hammond told his story Mr. Whiting said: "That's our case, your honor."

The defendants were sworn and Shapiro took the stand.

He said he came to Boston from New York and was on his way to Lawrence to see his brother-in-law. The latter was not in Lawrence. "And," said Shapiro, "I decided to come to Lowell to see the explosion. I found the $5 bill on the floor of the car. I heard the old man say that he had lost $3.50. I did not want to give the $5 because he had lost only $3.50."

"The conductor came to me and said: 'You damn Sheney if you don't give him the money I will get some fellows to lick you.'

"I told him that I knew a Jew would not have any show with him. He wanted to give the old man $3.50 and keep the rest of the $5 himself.

"I never saw Yagoda before that day and I do not know where he came from. My name is Spiro not Shapiro."

Yagoda said that he came from Boston Thursday afternoon. He left Boston he said, about 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

He denied that he had had any conversation with either the complainant or the conductor.

Mr. Murphy made a somewhat extended and very logical argument in which he asked for the release of Yagoda. Mr. Whitney did not make any argument. He believed the interests of the Commonwealth would be looked after by the court, without any words from him.

The defendants were found guilty and Mr. Whitney asked to have them continued for sentence. They were ordered in $500 each for their appearance before the court on Monday morning, August 10.

Mr. Whitney asked to have them continued because, he said, he believed he could produce a record unfavorable to Yagoda.

HOUSE ROBBED

Thief Made Haul at North Pelham

The residence of George W. McCann at Gusper's pond, in North Pelham, was broken into Wednesday night and clothing and property to the amount of $30 were taken. The family was in Nashua at the time. A warrant was procured for a man named Dow, who formerly worked there, but Dow escaped on the electric cars.

STATEMENT OF DAMAGE

CAUSED BY THE EXPLOSION IN SOUTH LOWELL.

Those persons whose property was damaged by the recent explosion at South Lowell are requested to send to The Sun a statement of the loss they suffered, if they have not done so already. A statement of the losses will appear in tomorrow's Sun.

MILLS WILL SHUT DOWN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 7.—The Gonic mills in the village of Gonic will shut down tomorrow. It is announced that operations will be resumed on Aug. 24.

THE WEATHER

By Associated Press to The Sun

Fair tonight and Saturday; fresh south to west winds.

DR. FLINT'S SANATORIUM
at Dracut Centre, one and a half miles from Merrimack Square, admits all classes of invalids except insane and contagious cases. Telephone 56-2. Address O. A. Flint, M. D., Dracut Centre, Mass.

21 KILLED

Wallace Circus Trains Wrecked Near Durand, Mich.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DURAND, Mich, Aug. 7—Wallace Bros.' circus trains were wrecked in the Grand Trunk yards here just before daylight today and 21 men, mostly employes of the circus, including a few of the performers, were killed outright. Twenty more were injured, some fatally.

The show was traveling in two sections over the Grand Trunk tracks from Lansing to Lapere, and the accident, it was said, was caused by the failure of the second section of the train to stop on time. Two sections were traveling near each other and the second ran into the first at full speed.

The engine of the second section and four cars of the first section were completely demolished. Much valuable property was destroyed, and the loss to the circus people will probably be very heavy.

Some of those killed and a few of the injured were railroad people attached to the train. These include Trainmaster J. McCarthy of the Grand Trunk. Some of the animals were killed.

The scene in the Grand Trunk yards after the collision was appalling. The wreckage of the engine and four cars were strewn about and piled high, while the shrieks of injured victims and the bellowing of the frightened animals could be heard above the hiss of the escaping steam and the excited shouts of the rescuers. It was some hours before all the injured were rescued from the wrecked cars. Some of them were in terrible agony and it is feared that seven more will die.

In the list of killed in addition to McCarthy is:

A. W. LARGE, Battle Creek, special agent Grand Trunk.

Injured:

Special Officer James Foley of Detroit.

The circus travels in two trains of 30 cars each. After last night's exhibition at Charlotte, the two trains left for Lapere over the Grand Trunk road, the second section leaving a half hour after the first. It was 3.45 o'clock when the first section pulled into the west end of the Grand Trunk yards here. A red light was hung on the rear car to stop the second section. Engineer Propst of Battle Creek who was running the engine of the rear train, says he saw this light and applied the air-brake. To his horror, it refused to work. He reversed his engine but the momentum of the heavy train was too great and with a crash that aroused all of the town near the yards, the two trains met.

The dead:

JAMES McCARTHY, trainmaster Grand Trunk road, between Port Huron and Battle Creek.

A. W. LARGE, special officer Grand Trunk, Battle Creek.

JOHN PURCELL, Peru, Ind., boss canvas man.

L. LARSON, Cambridge, Ohio, six horse team driver.

G. THOMAS, residence unknown, member of stake and chain gang.

HARRY ST CLAIR, residence unknown, reserved seat man.

JOHN LEARY, Springfield, Ill., boss of ring stock.

ANDREW HOWLAND, New York state, canvas man.

FRANK THORP, Dundee, Mich., trainmaster of circus train.

ROBERT RICE, residence unknown, harness maker.

GEORGE SMITH, residence unknown, blacksmith.

CHARLES SANDS, Peru, Ind., driver.

JOE WILSON, Pittsburg, Pa.

W. J. McCOY, Columbus, Ohio, canvas man with side show.

UNKNOWN MAN, driver of band wagon.

UNKNOWN MAN, home said to be in Indianapolis, rider in circus races.

UNKNOWN MAN, home said to be Louisville, four horse driver.

UNKNOWN MAN, four horse driver.

UNKNOWN MAN, suffocated to death.

TWO UNIDENTIFIED MEN are also dead in the hospital.

Seriously injured:

James Foley, special officer Grand Trunk, Detroit; shoulder dislocated, bruises.

Joseph F. Benton, New Milford, Conn.; internal injuries.

W. H. Roe, Armstrong, Ill.; internal injuries.

Frank Tilley, Rising Sun, Ind.; hip dislocated, very bad bruises and internal injuries.

Boll Abrahams, Sandusky, Ohio.

Bert McGrath, Connellsville, Ohio.

John W. Koons, Bairdstown, Ohio.

George Bartley, Los Angeles, Calif.

The wreck according to the statement of the engineer of the second section was caused by the failure of the air brakes to work.

GEORGE MARTIN

Judge Hadley Fined Him $200

WITH A SENTENCE OF 3 MONTHS IN JAIL

Another Alleged Vender Was Find $50

George Martin was given a black eye in police court today. He was charged with illegally keeping and illegal sale of liquor and Judge Hadley sentenced him to pay two fines of $100 each and three months in jail.

According to the testimony of the police officers, Martin has been very vigorous in his persistent violation of the liquor law.

He occupied a tenement over Sam Pike's market in Middlesex street and if the officers told the whole truth, had a "watch out" across the street. The "watch out" was a young fellow, and besides keeping "tabs" on the police he was supposed to solicit trade for Martin and the officers said he was a hard worker.

Martin was doing a purely pocket business and the regular officers could not catch him.

Special Officer Gilbert W. Sheridan was called into the case and he succeeded in buying two pints of whiskey from Martin. That settled it.

Martin had no argument to offer in court oday and after putting up a thin-skinned bluff, asked the court in a whisper, to send him to the city farm if he intended to sentence him at all.

Deputy Welch heard Martin's whispered request.

"They'll have to build a 50 foot wall about the farm if he went there. That's the only way they could hold him," said the deputy. The court then pronounced the sentence as herein recorded.

James B. Caswell, charged with keeping and selling liquor was fined $50.

SIXTEEN CASES

OF CHOLERA INFANTUM THIS WEEK.

The record of contagious disease at the health department office in City hall shows 16 cases of cholera infantum in this city thus far this week.

MRS. DERBY DEAD

MOTHER OF ALDERMAN DERBY PASSED AWAY.

Alderman Lucius A. Derby has been called to New Hampshire by the death of his mother, which occurred Tuesday. Mrs. Derby is at Woodstock, N. H., where her mother is dangerously ill.

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LOST—Lady's pocketbook on Merrimack square containing 10 Waltham trip tickets and about $1.50 in money. Reward at Sun office.

TAKE NOTICE

William A. Block, watchmaker and optician, formerly known as the proprietor of the American Watch Repairing Co., has opened a new store at 14 Prescott street, fourth store from Merrimack Sq.

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THE SUN LATEST 5 O'CLOCK

THE COUNTY JAIL

Denounced as a Great Danger

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—"The most disgraceful thing that exists in this country in the name of law and civilization is the county jail. Idleness and bad associations make crime and at public cost we are maintaining free schools of crime in every county in the United States."

The arraignment of the penal institutions of congress was given by Dr. Charles W. Henderson at the University of Chicago, last night, at the conclusion of a lecture upon modern prison systems. Prof. Henderson recently retired as president of the National Prison and since he has made a special study of crime and criminals and has issued several books upon the subject.

"There is no necessity for the jail system," he said. "In Europe prisoners are kept in separate cells until they are tried. Here we herd criminals together and it is a well established fact that many criminals find jail life keen delight in teaching to their less experienced companions the accomplishments of criminal practice. That such a condition should be permitted to exist is a shame and disgrace to the entire country."

CASEY POURS THE DRINKS

CURRENCY BILL

Will Not be Drafted Until Monday

ARRIVAL OF SEN. SPOONER AWAITED

Conservative Action Will be Taken

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 7—The members of the sub-committee of the senate finance committee who are gathering at the country house of Senator Nelson W. Aldrich on Warwick Neck will, in all probability, not commence the work of drafting a currency measure to be presented at the coming extra session of congress before Monday next, awaiting the arrival of Senator Spooner of Wisconsin. Senator Aldrich, who is chairman of the sub-committee, composed of four members, is entertaining Senators Allison of Iowa and Platt of Connecticut. It is expected that the committee will be made complete tomorrow or Sunday by the arrival of Senator Spooner.

It has been explained by Senator Aldrich that the immediate object which the sub-committee have in view is the framing of a bill, which, after being formally submitted to the full finance committee, will be presented to the senate on the first day of the extra session of congress, to be convened according to the president's previously announced purpose, on the 9th day of November, immediately after the full election. No bill has yet been drawn, even in the rough; and Senator Aldrich and his colleagues are naturally unable to make at this time any official announcement of details not yet determined upon.

It is already an open secret, however, that the committee is desirous of embodying in the measure that it intends to present the principal features of the Aldrich bill, which failed in the senate at the last regular session.

In general, it may be stated unreservedly that whatever action the committee may take in the direction of remedying treasury conditions will be conservative.

The committee does not trace the present demoralization of the stock market to defects in the currency situation. The present shrinkage in values is attributed by Senator Aldrich and his colleagues to an inevitable reaction from the inflated values that have heretofore prevailed, and is not in their opinion to be remedied by any tinkering with the currency system of the country at large. The committee therefore wishes to avoid any action designed to meet only present and temporary conditions.

HOW IT HAPPENED

Fight Between Mayor and Committee Explained

HIS HONOR CHANGED HIS ATTITUDE

After Secretary Cheney Appeared Before Committee

Followers of City Hall affairs are watching with interest the outcome of the difference of opinion between the mayor and the committee on accounts, which came out yesterday when His Honor wrote the committee declining to appear before them in explanation of a bill contracted by him for the firing of salutes on July 4 and published in full in another column.

The mayor's action is without precedent while as to the authority of the committee on accounts to hold up a bill contracted by the mayor, in Mayor Courtney's time the salary of his private secretary was held up for several months by the committee and the mayor could do nothing about it.

The facts leading up to the letter of yesterday which have not been previously published are these: Mayor Howe after approving the appointment of committees of public baths and contagious disease hospital declined to sanction the expense of a tour of inspection by these committees, which were voted by the latter as the best means toward making a satisfactory report back to the city council. His Honor informed the committee that the city was too poor to allow the expenditure of money for any trips by committees. The members of the committees protested that His Honor having approved the appointment of the committees should allow them to get information for an intelligent report back to the city council but His Honor was immovable and neither committee went out of Lowell.

When at the last meeting of the committee on accounts a bill was received with the mayor's sanction for salutes fired on July 4, the members thought that if the city was too poor to afford the expenses of the committee in making its report, it was too poor to spend $128 for salutes without some good reasons and accordingly the mayor was called up on the telephone and asked to appear before the committee.

His Honor, the members state, agreed to meet the committee at one o'clock and incidentally stated that if the committee would not approve the bill he would pay it himself.

A short time afterward Private Secretary Cheney appeared before the committee and gave his views of the matter which were not acceptable to committee as the latter desired to hear from the mayor personally. Mr. Cheney left and after his departure, according to the committee the mayor underwent a change of front and informed the committee that he did not know when he would see them and they adjourned without having the audience with him. Then came the letter which has been published and the next step will be to consult the city solicitor and see who is right in the matter. The committee claims it is right and will hold up the bill until after the mayor has explained his action to them after which undoubtedly they will approve it. Meanwhile the committee feels most kindly disposed toward Private Secretary Cheney.

A FUNNY CATCH

DICK CASEY AN E. Z. MARK FOR SEIZURE OFFICERS.

Dick Casey, bar tender, wrestler and all 'round sport, has learned to his sorrow that no matter how well you know a policeman, you should never trust him.

Liquor Officers Duncan and Grady called at the saloon formerly kept by Casey & Kearns under Urban hall, City Hall avenue, Wednesday evening, and Casey proved himself the easiest that ever happened.

"Good evening, Mr. Casey," said Duncan.

"Good evening, Mr. Duncan," said Casey.

"Hello, Dick," said Grady.

"Hello, William," said Casey.

"Have you any half-stock?" asked Duncan.

Casey smiled and said he had just sold the last bottle.

That was joke number one in favor of Casey.

"Have you any good whiskey?" asked Duncan.

"Sure thing," said Casey.

"Let us have a little," said Duncan.

Billy Grady smiled. It seemed to him like a great big joke.

Casey happened to have a taste of the ardent in a bottle, just for particular friends, and regarding the two officers as his friends he poured out two drinks.

Duncan drank half of his but Grady, who is a total abstainer, shuddered and lost track of his breath.

"I guess we will have to take this along with us," said Duncan.

Casey laughed. He didn't think the officer meant it; but it was joke number two and Casey was all to the bad.

The officers stalked out of the saloon with their glasses while Dick, after collecting his scattered senses, realized that he was caught.

When Brown heard what Duncan and Grady did, he said:

"I've found it waiting on ice for me, but I haven't found anybody d—— fool enough to pass it over the bar like Casey."

ROMANCE OF WAR

FORMER GUNNER MARRIED TO AMERICAN WIDOW.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7—A romance begun during the Boxer uprising in China has just culminated in the marriage in Chicago of Philip Herbert, former gunner of the navy, and Mrs. Pearl Seaman, the American widow of a Shan merchant.

Gunner Herbert served on the Olympia in the battle of Manila and afterwards served in Chinese waters during the boxer uprising. While on shore leave one night he encountered an overturned palanquin in one of Shan's narrow streets. The occupant was imprisoned beneath the vehicle and was screaming for help, while the bearers fought to keep off a dozen Chinese clamoring for blood of "foreign devils." A few blows drove them away and Herbert carried her several blocks to safety.

The gunner returned to his ship, but when he left Shanghai he carried with him the heart of the young widow and a promise that she would become his wife at the expiration of his enlistment.

The sailor was honorably discharged in February. He was notified later that he had become heir to $20,000.

SIR JAMES HECTOR

AMONG THE ARRIVALS AT VICTORIA, B. C.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 7 Among the passengers on the steamer Aorangi from Australia was Sir James Hector, director of the geological survey of New Zealand. He is the discoverer of Kicking Horse pass, which the Canadian Pacific uses to enter British Columbia through the Rockies. This pass was found in 1857 and was named in connection with an incident wherein Sir James was kicked by a horse and narrowly escaped death.

IMMENSE DOME

ON THE WORLD'S FAIR FESTIVAL HALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 7.—The plans and specifications of the world's fair festival hall, which is to stand at the head of the main arcade on Art hill, have been given to the contractors. The feature of the hall is the sculpture crown of the immense dome, 260 feet high which is planned to be larger than that of St. Peter's in Rome. The auditorium in the interior will be 112 feet high from the floor of the theatre to the summit of the dome. The proscenium arch of the stage has a span of 93 feet 4 inches, one of the largest in the country and is 54 feet deep.

BROKER RICKS FAILED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7.—Arthur George Ricks, a small stock broker, failed today.

FISH PIRATES

HAVE INAUGURATED A REIGN OF TERROR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 7—Fish pirates have inaugurated a reign of terror on the lower Sound waters. Their boldness is unprecedented. Repeatedly when bribery had failed they have held up keepers of fish traps at the point of a gun and rifled the nets. As much as $300 worth of fish has been taken at a single haul.

At the request of the receiver of the Pacific Packing & Navigation company, Judge Hanford of the federal court has requested that sufficient deputy marshals be sent to the lower Sound to protect the fisheries.

ARTILLERYMEN DESERT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7—Thirty-five of the 240 artillery men ordered out two weeks ago on a march of 150 miles to Camp Douglas, Wis., have deserted according to reports received at Fort Sheridan.

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POPE'S BLESSING

Sent Through Card. Gibbons to Americans

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 7.—Cardinal Gibbons was received by the pope today in private audience. In a lengthy conversation Pius X renewed his expressions of interest in America, already made manifest by his reception Wednesday to the pilgrims from the United States. The pope said he should like to have had the cardinal remain in Rome for some time, in order that he might become thoroughly acquainted with all questions relative to the United States, but his holiness did not insist, being aware, he said, of the cardinal's delicate state of health and his suffering from hot weather.

In closing the audience the pontiff charged Cardinal Gibbons to carry the apostolic benediction to all the faithful of America.

After his private audience, Cardinal Gibbons presented to the pope, Rev. Dennis R. O'Connell, rector and Father Charles P. Grannan, professor of theology at the Catholic university at Washington, and Father P. C. Gavan, the cardinal's secretary. The pope spoke most affably to each and said to Rector O'Connell that he knew the importance of the Catholic university at Washington and would do all possible to further its interests and prestige.

To Father Grannan the pontiff remarked that he had seen some of his work, especially on biblical questions, while to Father Gavan he said smiling that he had noticed him in the conclave.

Cardinal Gibbons is somewhat indisposed, the weather having become intensely hot, still he has been able to visit the churches of St. Peter and St. Paul, which with yesterday's visit to Santa Maria di Trastevere, was obligatory during his visit, which he must make every ten years.

THREE KILLED

In Attack on Workmen by Cossacks

By Associated Press to The Sun

KIEFF, Russia, Aug. 7.—Three workmen were killed and 23 were wounded yesterday when the Cossacks fired on and charged the strikers who were attempting to interfere with railroad traffic. The rioters numbered 2000. A magistrate, an officer and several soldiers, were injured by stones.

SUBSCRIPTION PAPER

MEMBERS OF COMMON COUNCIL RAISING MONEY FOR GLOUCESTER BLOW-OUT.

The finance committee of the Gloucester celebration, consisting of Councilman Cecil L. Adams as chairman and Alderman C. H. Molloy and Councilman Donohoe, held a meeting at city hall this morning.

Councilman Adams is circulating a paper, collecting subscriptions for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the proposed visit of the Gloucester city government on next Wednesday.

The celebration committee will hold a meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

SOME OPPOSITION

TO RENEWAL OF TRANSPORTATION OF CONVICTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 7.—Mail advices received by the steamer Aorangi state that there is a strong adverse comment in New Caledonia regarding the proposed renewal of transportation of convicts to the islands.

Sir Henry Moore Jackson, high commissioner of Great Britain, was refused a landing at Tonga on arriving there on H. M. S. Pleiades. The warship had gone to Tonga from Fiji and measles being epidemic, the local authorities refused the commissioner a landing. The British consul was at the time roughly handled by a sentry when requesting permission to allow the commissioner ashore. For this an apology was given by the king.

A rich gold discovery has been made in Tunt district, Australia. There has been a big stampede.

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FLEET SIGHTED

Rear Admiral Sands' Fighters Seen Off Bar Harbor

By Associated Press to The Sun

BAR HARBOR, Me., Aug. 7.—The presence of the "hostile" fleet under Rear Admiral Sands off Bar Harbor last night, was reported today by a despatch boat which came in for the mail. The enemy was discovered by a torpedo boat destroyer while patroling and was reported to Admiral Barker on the flagship Kearsarge. No further information was available.

This would seem to bear out the reports that the defending fleet has remained off Mt. Desert rock 27 miles from here, in anticipation of an attack on this section of the Maine coast or an attempt to establish a basis.

Not a superior force is at hand, but the entrance to Frenchman's Bay is being carefully guarded. The schooships Hartford and Chesapeake are patroling between Schoodic point and Baker's island, three miles outside Egg Rock lighthouse, thus commanding the entrance to the bay about seven miles in width. It would seem difficult for the White or attacking squadron to secure an anchorage and maintain a basis for five hours with the superior force under Rear Admiral Barker so near at hand. However, this may be possible under cover of darkness and the thick weather prevailing.

SAW A WARSHIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me., Aug. 7.—The schooner Penobscot, Captain Johnson, arriving today from the Georges banks, reported that at 2 a. m., when about eight miles southeast of Seguin a large vessel, evidently a warship, and a smaller craft were sighted two miles distant going toward the eastward.

GOOD HIDING PLACES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCKLAND, Me., Aug. 7—The weather today was thick and foggy and if this condition continues the enemy will have a fine opportunity to make an attack in this vicinity at night. Fine hiding places are afforded near this harbor, the most intricate being between Hurricane island and Vinal Haven. These points were guarded today by four of the torpedo boat destroyers, one of which was off Owl's Head this morning.

The watchers at the Lane island signal station late Thursday saw a fleet far off on the horizon to the eastward and it was thought it was a portion of the hostile fleet. The vessels disappeared upon sighting vessels going to the eastward.

FUNERALS

UNDERHILL—The funeral of Ervin Underhill, formerly a resident of this city, occurred yesterday afternoon. The body was forwarded from Boxford, Mass., where he died, August 3, aged 71 years.

Delegations from Wannalancit Encampment and Highland lodge, I. O. O. F., received the body at the depot, and escorted it to Highland M. E. church where funeral services were held, Rev. James F. Allen officiating.

A quartette, Geo. F. Sturtevant, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Geo. E. Burns, and Frank Murphy, sang "Lead Kindly Light," "Nearer, My God, to Thee," "My Heavenly Home." Deceased was an organizer and trustee of the Highland M. E. church. After the services at the church the body was taken to the Edson cemetery, followed by the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, where the ritual of the order was performed by Col. M. D. Brown and Chaplain I. B. Romaine.

Mrs. E. S. Kittredge, Mrs. H. W. Burton, Mrs. Etta M. Locke, Mrs. I. Hazeltine represented Highland lodge, D. of R., and H. W. Mitchell, Thomas E. Boucher, S. H. Foster, A. L. Corliss, Oscar Forsburg, James T. Trask, represented the encampment, while R. S. Curran, E. D. Hill and A. D. Mitten represented Highland lodge, I. O. O. F.

The bearers were Thomas E. Boucher, S. H. Foster, Oscar Forsberg, R. S. Curran, E. D. Hill and A. D. Mitten. Mr. R. O. Adams had charge of the funeral arrangements.

CRONAN—The body of Mary Cronan was forwarded to Orwell, Vt., last evening at 6.42 o'clock for burial by Undertaker Savage.

CARROLL—The funeral of Jane Carroll took place yesterday afternoon from Undertaker Young's warerooms. Services were conducted by Rev. Smith T. Ford of First Baptist church. Burial was in Edson cemetery.

McCORT—The remains of the late Michael McCort were consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral which was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased took place from his late home, 397 Worthen street, at 8.30 o'clock, and proceeded to St. Patrick's church in Suffolk street where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Fr. Callahan. The choir under the direction of Mr. Fred G. Bond sang the Gregorian mass and Mr. Michael J. Johnson presided at the organ. At the offertory Miss Mollie G. Ivers rendered "Pie Jesu" and at the conclusion of the service Mr. Bond sang "Come Unto Me." As the remains were leaving the church the choir sang "De Profundis."

Among the many floral offerings in evidence the following were the most prominent: Large pillow, bearing the inscription "Father," from the family of the deceased; wreath of galax leaves, inscribed "Brother," from the sisters of the deceased; crescent and star on base, inscribed "At Rest," Mr. Fred H. Bourke; broken lyre on base, employes of the Lowell Machine shop, where the deceased was employed; wreath, Misses Nolan and Carleton; spray, Misses McCarthy and Page; spray, Mrs. Patrick Bourke; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hyde; spray, Mrs. William H. Landers; spray of palms and asters, John Lonergan; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Ginty; spray, John and Kittie Queenan; spray of palms and asters, Mrs. B. Crane and a wreath of ivy from a friend.

The bearers were Messrs. Cornelius Daly, William P. Foye, Phillip Ginty, Simon Flynn, John J. O'Brien, William Dowling and John Hart.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Callahan. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

KEARNS—The body of Daniel Leo Kearns was sent to New Bedford for interment this morning on the 7.10 train by Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

DEATHS

FLOOD—Elizabeth P. Flood, aged 62 years, died suddenly at Hampton beach Wednesday evening, where she was spending a vacation with her husband and daughter. She was a resident of St. Michael's parish for many years and resided at 34 West Third street. The remains were brought to this city by J. F. O'Donnell & Sons last night and removed to her late home, 34 West Third street. She is survived by a husband, Edward, one daughter, Mrs. John H. Burke, and one son, Charles E. Flood. Funeral will take place from her late home at 8.15 o'clock Saturday morning. Mass at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock.

LUCIER—Miss Lea Lucier, daughter of Mrs. J. Lucier of 76 Salem street, died yesterday at her mother's residence at the age of 32 years and 7 months. She leaves besides her mother, two sisters, Mrs. F. Roy of Plattsburg, N. Y., and Miss Virginie Lucier of this city, and five brothers, Messrs. Amedee, Regis, Avila and Ephrem Lucier, all of Lowell, and Mr. Dolphis Lucier of Naplerville, Que.

PHILBRICK—Mrs. Sarah E., wife of Captain Philbrick of 389 Walker street, died yestesday at her home, aged 62 years. Besides her husband she is survived by two daughters, Misses Amy and Carrie Philbrick, and one brother, James Y. Webster of Sandwich, N. H.

KEARNS—Daniel Leo Kearns, aged 9 months, son of Michael and Annie, died yesterday at the home of his parents, rear 288 Market street.

FLYNN—William A. Flynn, aged 6 months, child of John F. and Mary, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 223 Adams street.

BENNETT—Thomas Bennett, aged 53 years and 11 months, died yesterday at his late home in Fowler avenue, Pawtucketville.

DOUGLASS—Raymond A. Douglass, aged six months, child of Martin and Charlotte, died this morning at the home of his parents, 159 Mt. Hope street, Pawtucketville.

GILL—Mary E. Gill, aged 21 years, died last night at the home of her parents, Peter and Ellen Gill, 223 Lincoln street.

BODY NOT RECOVERED.

Undertaker C. H. Molloy's assitants are still searching for the body of William H. McDonald who was drowned while in bathing at Tyngs island yesterday afternoon, but up to the present time have not located it.

NOTICE.

Will passengers who saw the trouble between the conductor and passenger on the car which left Lawrence, Saturday, Aug. 1, at 8 p. m., call at room 7, Central block.

EAGLES' OUTING.

The second annual outing of Lawrence aerie, 216, Fraternal Order of Eagles, was held at Wingate's farm, Haverhill road, yesterday afternoon, and for enjoyment and an all around good time it remains to be surpassed. Besides the Lawrence members of the order, Eagles from Lynn, Haverhill and Lowell attended and joined in making the event a most enjoyable one.

NEEDLE IN THUMB.

Phoebe B. Crabb, residing at 667 Merrimack street, while washing a floor this morning ran half a needle into her right thumb. She was taken to the Emergency hospital, where the needle was extracted.

Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system or despondency, invariably precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nerve will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great Stomach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by F. C. Goodale, druggist.

SEEKING REFUGE

Armenians Rushing to the Mountains

EARLY OUTBREAK OF BULGARIAN REVOLUTION

Leaders Disconcerted by Authorities' Plans

RAILROADS ASK FOR 20,000 MORE TROOPS

Request Will Have to be Refused

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Thursday, Aug 6.—News received here as to the extent of Bulgarian revolutionary movements in the village of Monastir is conflicting. In consular despatches from Monastir which were received this morning the opinion is expressed that the insurrection broke out a fortnight earlier than its chiefs intended and before the bands were in readiness, presumably because the leaders were disconcerted by the active preventive measures adopted by the authorities.

The Bulgarian inhabitants in a number of villages have fled to the mountains for refuge. The railways have asked that the troops guarding the lines be quadrupled but this would entail the employement of 20,000 soldiers and in view of the impoverished treasury, the government will find it difficult to comply with the request.

In spite of reports to the contrary, it is confidently believed in well-informed quarters that the porte in conformity with its formal declarations, will employ only regular troops to suppress the insurrection, as it is well aware how important it is for Turkey to avoid excesses such as certainly would be the outcome of the employment of the undisciplined Albanians or other irregular soldiery. The diplomats here entertain no doubt that the porte will continue its present policy of fighting the bands with regulars.

Of the eight battalions of infantry dispatched to Monastir, four will remain at that place, three will occupy the heights of Perister to the westward of Monastir and one will go to Florina, a town of 11,000 inhabitants 37 miles southwest of Monastir.

The porte has sent categorical instructions to the valis of the Armenian provinces of Asia Minor, holding them personally responsible for any Kurdish excess and ordering vigorous measures to be taken to prevent fighting. The British vice consul at Bitlis has been ordered to proceed to Musch, 80 miles south of Erzurum, where the Armenian massacres of Kurds and Turks occurred in 1894 to investigate the situation there.

A consular dispatch from Erzurum received this morning says the excitement in that district is quieting down, but that the vali of Erzurum reports that 600 armed Hultchakists from Russian territory have compelled the Armenians in the villages of Sassum vilayet (also the scene of Armenian massacres in 1894) to take refuge in the mountains. The vali has sent four battalions of troops against the Hultchakists who escaped to the mountains. The Porte has communicated this information to the Russian embassy, calling attention to the fact that the bands came from Russian territory.

POLICE PUZZLED

THREE NEGROES ARE HELD ON SUSPICION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—A coroner's physician who performed an autopsy upon the body of the unidentified man found Tuesday in the Harlem river with cuts upon his head, announces that the victim died from drowning and that he found no evidence of violence and no poison in the stomach. Three negroes are being held by the police on the confession of one that the man was given whiskey containing snuff, and then murdered and robbed. The authorities are somewhat at a loss as to what shall be done. The general opinion is that the negro who confessed to the murder told a falsehood.

FELL EIGHT FEET

SLACK WIRE WALKER NOT SERIOUSLY HURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—Franke Reese, 17 years of age, who has been one of the attractions at a fireworks display at Monroe street and Fortieth avenue, fell 80 feet last night in the sight of 11,000 people, as a result of an accident to the slack wire on which he was performing. The force of his fall was broken by a small staging that held fireworks under the wire and the boy is said to be not seriously hurt.

CONVICT CAPTURED

BULLET WOUNDS IN BOTH OF HIS LEGS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

AUBURN, Calif., Aug. 7.—Albert Seavis, colored, one of the three convicts who escaped from Folsom prison, is in jail here with bullet wounds in both of his legs. He was captured last night when the train came in from New Castle. Sheriff Keena had received word that he was aboard and when the train stopped Keena and Deputy Sheriff Cowan were at the depot. The negro was called upon to surrender, and he immediately opened fire, but Keena and Cowan were the first o score.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., Aug. 7.—The Home Riverside Coal company of Leavenworth has filed a petition in bankruptcy. The company has been involved in litigation for months. It is capitalized at $1,000,000.

ZABER ARRESTED

HE IS CHARGED WITH STEALING TOOLS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAWRENCE, Aug. 7.—John Zaber was arrested in a pawnshop yesterday trying to dispose of a bag of tools which had been left in a train by Edward C. Burke, who was on his way to this city from Ballardvale. He left the train at South Lawrence for a moment, and when he returned the tools were gone.

FINANCIAL TROUBLES

CAUSED WILLIAM SHAPPIOT TO COMMIT SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col. Aug. 7.—William G. Shappiot, for eight years one of the most prominent men in the real estate men here, has committed suicide by shooting. His wife found a note after he left home which told her that he intended to kill himself upon reaching his office, because of financial difficulties. She notified the police immediately, but they arrived at the office five minutes too late.

CHILDREN DROWNED

WHILE PLAYING WITH EXPRESS WAGON IN A CREEK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Two children about 7 years old have been drowned while playing with an express wagon in Cromwell creek near their home in the Bronx. One was the son of Fire Chief Campbell, retired.

PERSONALS

Rev. Fr. P. Omer Plourde, O. M. I., a former Lowell boy, who was ordained a priest June 4 at Ottawa by Mgr. Duhamel, was a visitor at St. Joseph's rectory yesterday, the first time since his ordination.

Two new members were admitted at last evening's regular assembly into the Club Social de Pawtucketville, which grows daily more popular among the residents of the locality.

The members of the Club Passe Temps will have a whist contest at the club rooms next Wednesday, to be fought between two teams composed of the married and single members of the organization, respectively.

The engagement is announced of Edward L. Murphy, a reporter for the Mail-News, and Miss Harriet Griffin.

Mrs. Charles Cashin, accompanied by their son Lutie, is spending the vacation at her former home in Montreal, Canada.

Miss Ruth B. Henry of Beacon street, is enjoying a short vacation with friends in Amesbury, her former home.

The pastor of the Wesley church, Rev. J. H. Irvine, has returned from a stay at the Douglass Camp Ground.

Miss Margaret Haun of Norwich, Conn., has been a guest of Mrs. James Craig for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clifton and daughter of Twelfth street are at Ocean Park, Me., for two weeks.

Miss Florence Leavitt of Lakeport, N. H., has recently been the guest of Cyrus W. Johnson of Wachusett street. She will visit Lawrence and then go to her summer home, Weirs, N. H.

Mr. Guy Irving and Miss Molly Johnson have recently returned from a month's stay with Judge Walter J. Peaslee of Laconia.

Ernest L. Marshall of Midland street leaves tomorrow for a three months' vacation in California.

Dr. M. A. Morris of Savannah, Ga., is spending a few weeks with his parents at Dracut Centre.

Mr. J. E. Coxton of 41 Midland street is spending his two weeks' vacation at the Moose Spring farm, East Gray, Me.

Miss Jenny Lind Power of Elmira, N. Y., is visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Lamson on West Sixth street.

Mr. John F. Quigley, a popular employe of the Harvard Brewery, spent last Sunday at Jug Island.

Miss Annie T. Coleman, the popular bookkeeper at Mr. Coleman's grocery store, Pleasant street, is enjoying the sea breezes at Crescent beach.

Mrs. Edward Rigney and daughter, Evelyn of Moore street have left for Montreal to visit her parents. Later they will be the guests of Mrs. Montique Allen at her summer home at Cacuona.

Assistant City Clerk and Mrs. Wm. F. McCarthy are making their headquarters at Salem, with Mrs. McCarthy's parents, while taking several short trips to neighboring beaches during their vacation.

A surprise party was given to Miss Emma Desforge at her home, 76 Lilley avenue, Wednesday night. A fitting address was rendered and she was presented with a gold watch, pin and necklace by Miss Alexina Daigneault, on behalf of the First Baptist church where she was organist. A pleasant evening was enjoyed and great musical talent was shown. Light refreshments were served, D. L. Page catering.

Mrs. B. F. Henry and son Paul and Miss Julia B. Riordan are at the "Pilot house," Portsmouth, N. H., the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Clarkson.

Misses Carrie and Frances Cunningham of Rogers street left yesterday for Frontier, N. Y., where they will spend the next six weeks, the guests of their sister, Mrs. J. C. O'Neil.

Mr. Joseph Duffy, formerly of the Lowell Daily News, has accepted a position on the Boston & Northern street railroad as conductor on the Woburn and Medford branch.

Mrs. George D. Ryan and Miss Lena A. and Master Walter have returned from a week's camping at camp 1090, Riverhurst, being entertained during their stay by Mr. and Mrs. George Higby. Fishing and boating was enjoyed.

MABEL McKINLEY RETIRES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—A dispatch from Los Angeles says:

The engagement of Mabel McKinley which closed at the Orpheum here last Sunday night, was her last appear in vaudeville, owing to the objections of her family.

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CONVICTS PLAN

To Assassinate Officials of Reformatory

By Associated Press to The Sun

ELMIRA, N. Y., Aug. 7.—There is every indication that the shooting of James H. Gunderman, keeper of the Elmira reformatory by Brooks, a convict from New York at that institution Wednesday came about through the miscarriage of a convicts' plan to assassinate the general superintendent Frank W. Roberston and his assistant, McDonald. The investigation has unearthed an elaborate plot.

A month ago the storeroom was robbed during lunch hour. Many weapons were stolen and since then officials of the reformatory have lived a life of terror, knowing the stolen articles were in the hands of the inmates.

The strain was beginning to tell on the officers and Supt. Robertson was on the verge of breaking down when Brooks shot and seriously wounded Gunderman and the plot was unearthed. Under pressure Brooks made a confession that the weapons were stolen by the inmates and hidden in a brick pile preparatory for a general sault on the keepers.

Supt. Robertson was expected out in the ward in the afternoon and he was to be shot at a given signal and the other officials assaulted. The conspirators are now in solitary confinement.

DEAD IN BED

TWO SISTERS ASPHYXIATED BY ILLUMINATING GAS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 7.—Fannie and Mary Dirk, sisters, aged 18 and 13 years respectively, were found dead in bed at their home in this city today. They had been asphyxiated by illuminating gas which had escaped from an imperfect gas jet.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY

MESSAGES SENT A DISTANCE OF 180 MILES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 7.—The first practical test overland of the Deforest wireless telegraph has been made here. Signals were received from Buffalo, a distance of 180 miles direct, three fourths of this distance being overland.

The experiments extended over a period of several hours, the communications received consisted of copper and the wireless code messages.

No attempt was made at sending replies, the sending apparatus not being as yet properly adjusted.

ONE WIFE TOO MANY

PROVIDENCE MAN GETS INTO TROUBLE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 7.—As a result of having contracted two marriages without the formality of a divorce, Willard T. Edwards was arraigned before Judge Rueckert in the sixth district court yesterday morning, charged with bigamy.

He admitted that he married a second wife while his first wife was living, but stated that he thought she had obtained a divorce from him.

He pleaded guilty, was adjudged probably guilty and was bound over to the common pleas division of the supreme court in the sum of $1000.

According to the records, Edwards, or Taber, married at East Providence in 1893, Miss Mabel S. Pease, the police say, giving his name as William E. Taber. He lived with his wife for three or four years and then left home, ostensibly to look for work.

In 1899 he married Margaret E. Mank of this city. The police say that he told her that he had been married before, but that his wife and child were dead. He was married the second time under the name of William T. Edwards.

It is said that one child resulted from the first marriage, but there are none from the second.

SENATOR GEORGE DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WELLSBORO, W. Va., Aug. 7.—Samuel George, banker, capitalist and member of the state senate, is dead here at the age of 76 years. He was one of the most promienut men in the West Virginia Pan-Handle.

SCORED 387 RUNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The Philadelphians this morning concluded their first innings in the cricket match against the Surrey Country eleven with a score of 387 runs. They added only 39 runs today for the remaining three wickets, their overnight score when stumps were being drawn being 348 runs for the loss of seven wickets.

Surrey began their first innings with a poor showing against the Philadelphian bowlers and at lunch time had lost six wickets for only 81 runs.

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Men's Suspenders, with drawers supporters, 10c a pair, worth 20c.

Men's Jersey Ribbed, Tan Color, Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 33c, worth 50c.

Boys' Fancy Shirts, with detached collars, 25c, worth 40c.

Men's Fancy Shirts, 75c and 50c patterns, 25c.

Men's Fancy Madras Shirts, separate cuffs, 33c, worth 50c.

Men's Fancy Balbriggan Underwear, 17c, worth 35c.

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MAY NOT RECOVER

Mrs. Dumont's Heart Affected by Shock

Day by day new evidence of the awful results of the Riverside park explosion are coming to light.

Among the callers at The Sun office today was Mr. Savaire Dumas of 2 Clifton street, whose house and furniture were destroyed by the explosion. Mr. Dumas has been employed in the Kitson machine shop for the past 24 years. He is the father of eight children, only one of whom, an 18-year-old daughter, is able to work. His wife has been troubled with a weak heart, while the shock of the explosion caused her complete collapse and her recovery is still in doubt, the physicians stating that the slightest shock will kill her.

Mr. Dumas' cottage house represented the savings of 20 years and it will have to be entirely rebuilt.

GOING TO EUROPE.

The following Lowell people were booked through Murphy's steamship agency to sail from Boston yesterday on the Dominion line steamer New England for Queenstown and Liverpool: Miss Theresa Sullivan, Mr. Edwin J. Otley, Mrs. Annie Doran, Leonard Doran, John J. Donnelly, Miss Maria Mitchell, Miss Margaret Mitchell and Mrs. Jane Allen.

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GRAND CEREMONY

Arranged for the Coronation of the Pope

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 6.—The coronation ceremony will be performed at St. Peter's on Sunday according to a rite dating from the latter part of the 14th century. As the pope enters the church a clerk of the papal chapel holds up before him a reed surmounted by a handful of flax. This is lighted; it flashes up for a moment and then dies out at once as the chaplain chants: "Pater sancte, sic transit gloria mundi," ("Holy Father, thus passeth away the world's glory"). This is done three times. The mass is then begun as usual, but before the incensation of the altar the "Blessing of the pontiff-elect" is pronounced by three cardinal bishops, each of whom recites a prayer over him. After the collects come the so-called laudes, that is the three-fold supplications to God for the welfare of the new pope. The coronation itself takes place after the mass in the balcony over the portico of St. Peter's overlooking the great piazza. The second cardinal deacon takes off the mitre, which until now the pope has worn and then the senior cardinal deacon (Macchi) places the tiara on his head and all the people cry out "Kyrie Eleison."

The pope reckons his pontificate from his coronation day, although of course he is pope from the day of his election.

CARNEGIE'S PLAN

To Aid the People of His Native Town

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 6—In handing over to 15 representative citizens of his native town, Dunfermline, who were his guests at Skibo castle early in the week, a trust deed transferring to them $2,500,000 in 5 per cent. bonds of the United States Steel corporation and Pittencrieff park, Andrew Carnegie explained the objects he had in view in these words:

"It is an experiment, the object of which is to attempt to introduce into the monotonous lives of the toiling masses of Dunfermline more of sweetness and light, to give them, especially the young, some chance, some elevating conditions of life, their residence elsewhere would have denied, so that a child in his native town will feel, however far he may have roamed, that simply by virtue of being such, his life has been made brighter and better."

Mr. Carnegie proceeded to say that he has provided for this experiment in his will more than 20 years ago, but his retirement from business enabled him to put the scheme into operation during his life time. The problem set before the trustees was:

"What can be done in towns to benefit masses by money in the hands of the most public spirited citizens?" If it was proved that good could be done the trustees would open new fields to the rich, which Mr. Carnegie said he believed they would hereafter be more and more anxious to find for their surplus wealth.

Mr. Carnegie exhorted the trustees not to be afraid of making mistakes, to try many things freely, but to discard just as freely, keeping in touch with the masses and constantly aiming to improve their tastes and give Dunfermline something beyond what was possessed by other cities.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

SEIZED WITH CRAMPS

Steward McDonald of Country Club Drowned

William H. McDonald, aged about 35 years, the well known steward at the Vesper-Country club was drowned in the river at Tyng's island this afternoon. He went in bathing about 2 o'clock and after a time those near the club house heard cries and rushed to the bank of the river. When they got there they saw the steward throw up both hands and sink.

An attempt was made to recover the body but finally it was decided to send for Undertaker Molloy and he went to the island and began grappling for the body.

It is believed that Mr. McDonald was seized with cramps. He was a good swimmer.

He and his wife belong in East Boston and assumed their position at the island last spring.

Andrew G. Swapp, secretary of the club, was notified immediately after the accident occurred. Mr. Swapp said that Steward McDonald was a faithful worker and his loss will be felt severely by the club.

PARKS IS GUILTY

Walking Delegate Convicted of Assault

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Samuel Parks, the walking delegate, was found guilty of assault in the third degree today. The complainant was Peter O'Neil, a plasterer, and the alleged assault is a result of a labor meeting. The case has been on trial for several days. Parks was released on the original police court bail until next Thursday, when District Attorney Jerome will either ask for a sentence or further adjournment until the criminal charges of extortion against Parks, to be tried in general sessions have been heard.

KILLED HIMSELF

Revolver Went Off by Accident

By Associated Press to The Sun

SCRANTON, Pa., Aug. 6.—Conrad Schroeder, a wealthy contractor and builder of northeastern Pennsylvania, shot himself today, dying almost instantly. The shooting occurred while Mr. Schroeder was in his room and the family say that the revolver exploded while he was changing it from one pocket to the other. He returned from New York last night and was apparently in a happy mood.

Mr. Schroeder was a delegate to the National convention which nominated Benjamin Harrison for president. He was rated as a millionaire.

CARDINAL GIBBONS

VISITED THE CHURCH OF SANTA MARIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 6—Cardinal Gibbons, accompanied by his conclavist, Fr. P. C. Gavan, today visited the church of Santa Maria in Trastevere, the cardinal's titular church, and was warmly received by the whole chapter, headed by the canon and arch-priest.

WHITAKER WRIGHT

IS DETAINED IN THE BRIXTON JAIL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 6—Whitaker Wright, the arrested promoter and director of the London & Globe corporation, limited, is today still in Brixton jail, some of the proposed sureties for his bail of $250,000 not having yet been approved.

CAPTAIN HOLLIS

FORMER U. S. CONSUL AT CAPE TOWN DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MALDEN, Mass., Aug. 6—Captain George Fearing Hollis, United States consul at Cape Town, South Africa, for many years, died at the home of his daughter here today. He was born in Cambridge in 1838. When he was 16 years of age he started the Chelsea Pioneer and some years later started the Chelsea Herald. When the war broke out he enlisted on the army and was attached to the first regiment of volunteers and later transferred to the navy. In 1864 he was the first to open communication with Sherman's army while scouting with a boat crew. After the war he engaged in the manufacture of tin cans. In 1885 he was appointed consul at Cape Town and while there instituted the first consular service between the Transvaal and the Orange Free State. In 1813 he returned to this country.

He leaves a widow and three children.

POPE'S PRIVATE SECRETARY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 6.—Pius X has appointed his conclavist, Mgr. Bressan, as his private chaplain, which means that he will also be the pontiff's chief private secretary.

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SHEN STRANGLED

Chinese Editor Was First Horribly Beaten

By Associated Press to The Sun

PEKIN, Aug. 6.—Edward T. Williams, the Chinese secretary of the United States legation, has made an extensive investigation into the execution of Shen Chien, the reformist journalist who was put to death by orders of the Dowager Empress July 31, and has handed Minister Conger a detailed report, proving that the executioners after beating Chien for three or four hours, despaired of being able to fulfill the Dowager Empress' orders and yielding to Shen's pleadings to end his misery, strangled him with their hands.

A Pekin dispatch, August 1, said Shen Chien was beaten to death by special instructions from the Dowager Empress who desired to make an example of the journalist with which to terrify other reformers. The execution was declared to be the most horrible that has occurred in China since the massacre of 1900. The victim was beaten with bamboo rods in the court yard of the Yamen of the board of punishment until the flesh on his back, arms and legs was torn to ribbons.

Chien was 30 years old and had many friends among the foreign residents of the city who described him as educated and high minded. The affair has created intense feeling in the foreign community at Pekin and a strong sentiment against surrendering the Shanghai reformers to Chinese jurisdiction.

HELD IN $3000

Negro Accused of Breaking and Entering

By Associated Press to The Sun

QUINCY, Mass., Aug. 6.—Sam Scott, the negro who was arrested on a charge of vagrancy, but who was suspected of being the burglar who cut Clifford and Heald with a razor at their home last Sunday night, was discharged on the vagrancy charge today, but was re-arrested on the charge of breaking and entering the Clifford house in the night time. On this charge Scott was held in $3000 for a hearing on August 13. In default of bail Scott was taken to Dedham jail.

MUST CURTAIL

Rhode Island Mills Will Close

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 6—The opinion is general among Rhode Island cotton mill agents that there will be more curtailing of production during September than is probable this month. Mills which are running a part of their machinery now in an endeavor to make their stock of cotton last as long as possible and keep their operatives from straying elsewhere will be compelled to give their help a vacation before the first shipment of new cotton arrives. Some factories are kept going now by a sort of hand-to-mouth buying of the raw material at current fancy prices in a small way.

There has been nothing done in this state yet toward taking concerted action in the matter of curtailing production, but it is considered probable that the operatives in the great majority of Rhode Island and other New England mills will have a fortnight's vacation in September.

TERRIFIC FIGHT

Between Tramps and a Train Crew

By Associated Press to The Sun

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 6—A terrific fight occurred between four tramps and the crew of an Erie freight train between Falconer and Kennedy today, during which Jack Allen, a brakeman of Meadville, Pa., was badly stabbed and one of the tramps fell between the cars of the train and was cut in two. There was nothing on the body of the dead man to indicate who he was except a bunch of keys and a key check which bore the name of Samuel Frey, Excelsior Coal company, Akron, O. Two of the tramps are under arrest.

THE STOCK MARKET

NOT AFFECTED BY LAIDLAW & GARRIE'S FAILURE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The failure of Laidlaw & Garrie which was announced on the Consolidated exchange, was not important enough to have effect on the stock exchange.

George H. Sullivan, assignee for the firm of Sharp & Bryan, said today that he would not be able to make any statement in regard to the firm's affairs today, because of the many details to go into.

PLUNDER TAKEN

Robbers are Busy at Northfield, Vt.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTHFIELD, Vt., Aug. 6.—This section of the state which has been troubled by robbers of late, was visited again early this morning. In Gouldville, two miles north of here, the post office was broken into and emptied of stamps and money. The general store of the village in which the post office was located was robbed. The plunder taken from the store consisted of tobacco largely, although other goods are missing. The loss in the post office is not heavy.

Yesterday a horse was stolen from Thomas Ward of Mooretown. The thief was traced as far as Gouldville and it is thought he was the one who committed the robbery.

About two weeks ago the post office in Northfield was robbed. The identity of the robbers is unknown.

FOR CONSPIRACY

Servian Officer Placed Under Arrest

By Associated Press to The Sun

VIENNA, Aug. 6.—According to advices received here, a number of Servian officers have been arrested at Belgrade, on account, it is reported, of a suspicion, that they were conspiring against the war minister, General Alabazkovics, who is said to have prevented the advancement of the participants in the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga.

C. T. A. U. CONVENTION

916 DELEGATES PRESENT AT THE SESSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 6.—When the national convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence union of America, met today, the credential committee reported 916 delegates present. Reports of diocesan unions showed increasing interest and rapid growth all over the country. The session concluded with papers on the history of the temperance movement for 250 years by Thomas H. Keough of Springfield, Mass., and others.

IN NEW BEDFORD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 6—The Bristol Manufacturing company will shut down its plant Saturday noon for one week. The high price of cotton and the low price of goods is given as the cause for the shut down.

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 6.—Exchanges, $20,542,046. Balances $1,555,553.

DRAGGED HER MOORINGS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 6—In last night's blow the big sloop Constitution dragged her moorings for quite a distance, but no damage resulted to the vessel.

CAN ISSUE MORE STOCK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 6.—The board of railroad commissioners issued orders authorizing the Old Colony Street Railway company to purchase the Lakeside Park property in the town of Freetown, for a pleasure resort at a purchase price of $27,575 and authorizing the Old Colony Street Railway company to issue 260 shares additional capital stock at a market value of $110 per share.

SECRETARY ROOT

Has Final Conference With President

By Associated Press to The Sun

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 6.—Secretary of War Root, after a conference with the president, which extended far into the night last night, left on an early morning train for Washington. This is probably the last conference the secretary will have with the president, before he leaves for London to attend the commission to determine if possible the Alaskan boundary dispute. He will sail from New York on the steamer Celtic, Saturday, the 22nd instant.

The president and the secretary of war discussed at length some points which have arisen regarding the general staff of the army. It was to have decided that Major General Corbin for a time at least will continue to perform the duties of adjutant general in addition to his work as second in command to the chief of staff, Major General Young. A few details of the work of the general yet remain to be worked out but Secretary Root hopes to see the new organization running smoothly before he leaves for England.

While Secretary Root discussed with the president very thoroughly the Littauer-Lyon glove contract case, no information is obtainable as to the result of the conference. The situation was so delicate that neither the president or Secretary Root cares at this time to discuss it for publication.

No visitors were received formally by the president at Sagamore Hill today. Indeed, after dispatching a considerable amount of business with Secretary Barnes he spent the day away from the house.

TENNIS GAMES POSTPONED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROOKLINE, Mass., Aug. 6.—The rain storm which began Tuesday afternoon had not ceased today and the management of the International lawn tennis tournament at Longwood was compelled again to postpone the games. The doubles will be played tomorrow at 3 p. m. The two singles matches, scheduled for today, will be played Saturday afternoon.

The picking of the English double team has also been postponed by arrangement. It is expected that R. F. Doherty will be able to play.

JEROME HAS RESIGNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6—President Kebler of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company makes official announcement that J. L. Jerome, third vice-president and treasurer, has resigned, the resignation to become effective at once, and that A. A. Miller has been appointed assistant treasurer. Mr. Miller will have full charge of all financial matters.

ELEVATOR PLANT BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 6—The plant of the Little Rock Mill & Elevator company was burned today. The fire started from a bolt of lightning. Loss $75,000, insurance $10,000.

Miss Josephine Bonan is at Hampton beach.

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DOG POISONER

Dr. French Under Arrest on That Charge

The man suspected of poisoning dogs in Centralville was arrested this afternoon by Inspector Walsh of the police department.

The man arrested was William H. French, a retired druggist, living at 36 Third street.

For several weeks in Centralville valuable canines have been dropping off like bad nuts from a tree, and the people owning dogs in that vicinity have been moving heaven and earth to discover the dog killer.

Mr. J. Gregoire, a stable keeper, lost six splendid dogs and one valued at $500, the property of Frank Merrill, succumbed to poison administered by the man who apparently took it upon himself to exterminate the whole canine family in Centralville.

Mr. Gregoire determined that he would catch the man responsible for the deaths of so many dogs and he engaged two boys to watch a man whom he suspected.

The man was William H. French, and in consequence of what the boys allege to have seen he was placed under arrest.

They took some meat containing a greenish white poison to Mr. Gregoire and told him that Mr. French dropped it near a tree in Third street.

Mr. Gregoire reported the matter to the police and in company with Inspector Walsh went to Mr. French's house, placed him under arrest and took him to the police station, where at the time of writing he was undergoing a rigid cross-questioning.

BOOZE ON THE BAR

LIQUOR OFFICERS MADE AN EASY SEIZURE.

Officers Duncan and Grady made a seizure of a small quantity of whiskey in the place kept last year by Casey & Kearns. The whiskey was taken from the bar.

DEATHS

FREEMAN—Annie Freeman, child of Henry and Bridget Freeman, died last night at their home, 32 Bridge street. The funeral took place this afternoon and burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertaker Molloy had charge.

Miss Ida Laflamme and Mrs. Evie Davis are visiting friends in Lawrence.

Mrs. Minnie Henry and Mrs. Belle Wisener of the D. L. Page Co., will enjoy the sea breezes at Old Orchard during the month of August.

Miss Addie Johnston has returned from an enjoyable week at Littleton.

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ALL HOPE GONE

Missing Dent Boy Will Never be Found

The committee of citizens appointed some time ago to organize a systematic search for Arthur Dent, the boy who mysteriously disappeared from his home, will meet this evening at city hall at 7.30 o'clock. No trace of him has ever been found despite the rewards offered and it is to see what shall be done with the money contributed for the rewards that the committee will meet his evening.

CHOLERA INFANTUM

IS STILL HAVING VICTIMS IN THIS CITY.

Seven cases of cholera infantum were reported at the health department thus far, this week.

CUMMINGS FAMILY REUNION.

The annual reunion of the Cummings family will be held in Hudson, Wednesday, Aug. 19, on the grounds opposite the residence of Mr. Kimball Webster.

Mrs. Patrick Gookin of Meadowcroft street is stopping at the Oceanside hotel, Lynn, where she will remain for the next two weeks.

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OFFICER MALLEY

Testified Against Three Accused Negroes

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 6.—At the continuance of the trial of William M. Trotter, Granville Martin and Bernard Charles, who are accused of disturbing a meeting in the A. M. E. Zion church July 30, which was addressed by Booker T. Washington, Judge Bennett in the municipal court, who is hearing the case, today first listened to the testimony of Policeman Patrick Malley. The patrolman went to the church on the night of the disturbance and he testified that he found the defendant, Martin, in a pew, shouting that he had a right there and would talk.

He was asked to take hold of Martin. Sergeant Manning was there and Bernard Charles, one of the defendants, stood in front of the pew where Martin was and blocked the officers and had to be put aside before they could get Martin.

SPOT COTTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6—Cotton—Spot closed steady; middling uplands 12.75; middling gulf 13.00. Sales 1508 bales.

FREEBORN RAYMOND DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, Mass., Aug. 6—Freeborn F. Raymond, a retired Boston merchant, died at his home here today at the age of 90 years. He was a native of Athol, though his family moved to Jaffrey, N. H., when the boy was two years old. When 16 years of age he came to Boston and later, both in the West Indies goods trade and as a wholesale flour merchant, he was well known. He retired in 1868.

Previous to his removal to Lexington, where he had made his home for some time, Mr. Raymond was active in municipal affairs in Boston, having served in the city council for six years.

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ELLINGWOOD & CO., Cor. Central and Merrimack Streets; GOODALE'S DRUG STORE, 217 Central Street; C. E. CARTER, two stores, Cor. Branch and Smith Streets, and Cor. Westford and Pine Streets; LOWELL PHARMACY, 632 Merrimack Street.

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ACCOUNTS SHORT

Postmaster Johnson at Vineyard Haven Deposed

By Associated Press to The Sun

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Aug. 6.—Postmaster F. H. Johnson of this place was deposed from office today and Leavet T. Norton, one of Mr. Johnson's bondsmen, has been placed temporarily in charge.

Mr. Johnson's removal was caused by post office inspectors finding a shortage in his accounts, which was however, paid by Mr. Johnson when he was notified of the facts in the case.

Mr. Johnson was formally placed under arrest. He was appointed to the office under the Cleveland administration seven years ago.

The alleged irregularities in Mr. Johnson's accounts were detected by Postal Inspector Elmer C. Kincaird, last week, when a shortage of a few hundred dollars was found. Mr. Johnson made the amount good as soon as he was told of it, but as there had been previous irregularities remedied by the postmaster, the postal authorities decided to make the removal.

Mr. Johnson will be arraigned before the United States commissioner at New Bedford today.

The citizens here universally believe in Mr. Johnson's honesty and it is the general opinion that the irregularities have been caused by carelessness and that he had no intention of defrauding the government.

PRICES DROPPED

The Stock Market Opened Excitedly

BROKERS IN FEAR OF FUTURE FAILURES

Some Stocks Reached Low Level

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The stock market opened rather excitedly today and there were wide declines in a number of securities caused presumably by fears of further failures. After the first few minutes trading, it became apparent that supporting orders in the market leaders had been placed and the tone became steadier. The selling was especially notable in Missouri Pacific, Union Pacific, Baltimore & Ohio and Atchison, while St. Paul, Southern Pacific, New York Central and Pennsylvania showed support.

Shortly after 11 o'clock, the official announcement was made that all sheets had gone through the stock exchange clearing house without difficulty, thus indicating that all brokers had been able to meet their obligations this morning.

Persistent rumors of liquidation by a "big house" were circulated during the noon hour and prices dropped once more, some of them to a lower level than before. Stocks that suffered most in this attack included St. Paul, Reading, Atchison pfd., Erie, New York Central, Pennsylvania, Union Pacific and United States Steel.

Shrewd traders on the floor expressed the belief that much of today's liquidation was of a new character, the source of which they were unable to trace. It was this fact that excited considerable apprehension.

TRAINING SHIP

BELIEVED TO BE CLEARED OF DIPHTHERIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 6.—The U. S. Training ship Monongahela, which is cruising in this vicinity, so as to be near the local naval hospital in case of further diphtheria cases making their appearance on board, put into Dutch Island harbor under stress of weather last night after having floated around outside for a week and no further illness of the feared nature appeared. It is felt on board that the disease all came from the training station where there is considerable illness among the boys and that the ship is now clear of it. The department is doing everything possible to wipe the disease out at the station where there are upwards of 800 boys.

WAIVED RIGHTS

EASTMAN AND BROWN CONSENT TO EXTRADITION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—"Monk" Eastman and Joseph Brown have waived their rights and consented to extradition to New Jersey, to face the charges of James McMahon, formerly David Lamar's coachman, who was assaulted recently in Long Branch. They were remanded to the Tombs to await extradition.

SERVIAN OFFICERS

NOT ALLOWED TO CROSS RUSSIAN FRONTIER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Aug. 6—A St. Petersburg dispatch says two Servian officers who were deputed to attend King Peter's sons on their journey to Belgrade to join their father, have not been permitted to cross the Russian frontier, the Russian legation at Belgrade having refused to vise their passports; because they were implicated in the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga.

HEAVY RAINFALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TOPEKA, Kas., Aug. 6—A rainfall of 3½ inches over this territory after midnight, has started the Kaw river upward rapidly. Many North Topeka citizens are alarmed by the heavy rainfalls and the reports of rising tributaries of the river to the west and are packing up their valuables and preparing to flee to higher ground.

COTTON EXPORTS

Question Raised in the House of Commons

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 6.—In the house of commons today, replying to William Field (nationalist) who drew attention to the reshipment of American cotton from Liverpool to N. Y., thus increasing famine price of cotton in England, inviting an inquiry as to the effect of the system of utery options on the price of cotton, Gerald Balfour, president of the board of trade, stated that the information of the board of trade did not indicate an increase in the re-export of cotton to America. The total quantity re-exported to the end of July was 400,000 hundred weight (112 pounds) compared with 450,000 hundred weight for the corresponding period of 1902. During June and July the quantities re-exported were 72,000 hundred weight and 70,000 hundred weight respectively.

Regarding future options, Mr. Balfour said he saw no objection to the suggested inquiry.

NEW YORK MAN

DOES NOT KNOW DAUGHTER IS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TOPEKA, Kas., Aug. 6.—Ignorant of the death of his daughter at Los Angeles, Calif., last night, Henry Lowe of New York, aboard a Santa Fe special, flashed through La Junta, at 10.10 this morning. The train was making record-breaking time in an attempt to land the father at his child's side before her death.

News of the girl's death did not reach La Junta until the train, already ahead of schedule time and with a clear track ahead, had left the station. The railroad companies' wires were down and up to 11 o'clock it had been found impossible to reach Mr. Lowe.

VESSEL SEIZED

Lumber Men Want Their Pay

By Associated Press to The Sun

ELIZABETHPORT, N. J., Aug. 6.—Five vessels now being built at the Crescent ship yards here, have been seized by Sheriff Cortell on a writ of seizure granted by the supreme court commission on the application of Frederick L. Heidritter & Company, timber and lumber merchants of Elizabeth. The seizure is made for lumber and other materials furnished by the firm and used in the constructions of the vessels.

The vessels seized are the gunboats Tampico and Vera Cruz, being built for the Mexican government; the ferry boat Plainfield, being constructed for the Central railroad of New Jersey; the steam yacht Czarina, building for Charles S. Bryan of New York, and the side-wheel steamboat Happy Day, building for Charles M. Schwab.

WAGNER'S NEW OPERA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Aug. 6.—Siegfried Wagner has finished his new opera entitled "Kobold" (Goblin). The premier will be given at Leipsic next season.

SECURED CLAIMS $200,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Henry B. Ketcham, assignee for the firm of Hurlburtt, Hatch & Co., said today that he probably would be unable to make a detailed statement of the firm's liabilities before late tomorrow or possibly Monday. He added that so far as ascertained the firm has no outstanding contracts on the floor of the exchange. The secured claims as near as he could tell are less than $200,000 and unsecured claims are under $250,000.

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HOSTILE FLEET

Has Not Attacked the Maine Coast Yet

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 6—One-fifth of the time allowed for the war game expired at noon today and the hostile fleet had not attacked the coast between Eastport and Cape Ann nor won the game by holding an anchorage five hours undisputed by a superior force. At noon the opposing fleet has not been sighted. The presence of the defensive fleet was reported all along the war belt. At Mt. Desert rock, 27 miles from Bar Harbor, there was gathered early today a fleet equal to that of the enemy. It consisted of the Kearsarge, Alabama and Illinois and the tugs Peoria and Nina. This fleet would be sufficient to prevent the enemy from holding an anchorage undisputed for five hours if within that time the fleet could be warned and rushed to the harbor sought by the enemy. The presence of this force would seem to indicate that an attack was expected near Bar Harbor.

The probability of Portland being chosen as a vulnerable point is not considered so great as that of some other port on the Maine coast less guarded with the wireless telegraph and better adapted for a fleet wishing to slip in unseen. As last year, the attack may be delayed several days, and when attempted probably will be under the cover of fog or darkness. Profiting by the manoeuvres of last year, the enemy has a chance to distinguish himself. The stretch of coast between the limits is long and varied, consequently it is considered at all possible for Admiral Barker to steam into some harbor where the enemy is expected to arrive and capture him without effort. The maintaining of a close patrol along the several hundred miles of coast is an exacting task for any fleet.

IN THE WAR GAME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BAR HARBOR, Me., Aug. 6—A tug from the defending squadron which came in today for the mail reported Admiral Barker with the flagship Kearsarge, the battleships Alabama and Illinois and the tugs Peoria and Nina off Mt. Desert rock, about 27 miles from here. As these vessels constitute the heaviest portion of the fleet, it would appear as if the enemy were expected to attack in this vicinity. There is a probability that the hostile fleet might come into Frenchman's bay through Sonies' sound at Southwest harbor. It is known that this available entrance has recently been inspected by officers of the blue squadron under Admiral Sands.

The old schoolship Hartford and the Chesapeake are guarding the mouth of Frenchman's bay near the Egg rock lighthouse. It was not the first intention to have the training ships participate in the manoeuvres.

Only the scout boats have gone any great distance from this section of the Maine coast, the superior force evidently being held in readiness to repulse any attack. Should the enemy enter and anchor it would be necessary for this superior force to attack them within five hours.

As the Massachusetts is the slowest of the hostile fleet the movements and speed of the enemy will be regulated by the Massachusetts.

TORPEDO BOAT GETS ORDERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 6 The torpedo boat destroyer Bainbridge arrived in the harbor at 10.15 this forenoon and after receiving orders departed.

WHITE SQUADRON

EXPECTED TO MAKE AN ATTACK NEAR ROCKLAND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCKLAND, Me., Aug. 6—It was considered evident today from the presence in this vicinity of three torpedo boat destroyers that the white squadron was expected to attack some point near Rockland or between here and Bar Harbor. The destroyers Decatur, Chauncey and Barry appeared off Vinal Haven this forenoon, the Dale was at Swan's island and very early the Bainbridge was at Camden. The Bainbridge was reported later at Portland, where she had proceeded from Camden. This accounts for the five scout boats and would seem to indicate an anticipated attack.

NEW SHAMROCK

Shows Her Heels to Shamrock I

(From Sr. Erin via DeForest Wireless.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The Shamrock left Sandy Hook in a light southeast wind this morning for another sea trial.

Lieut.-General Nelson A. Miles and Mrs. Miles were guests of Sir Thomas Lipton today on the Erin. Other guests were several city officials.

The course was set ten miles to windward, south southeast from Scotland lightship and return. The starting time was:

Shamrock III.....11:31:18
Shamrock I.....11:33:08

The challenger got the start by eight seconds.

After an hour's sailing Shamrock III was half a mile dead to windward of Shamrock I. Both boats were making short tacks. The wind increased to seven miles an hour.

The time seen at the turn was:

Shamrock III 1:07:10
Shamrock I 1:26:51

The new boat outsailed the old one by 17 minutes 56 seconds elapsed time.

Shamrock III finished at 2.36.40. Shamrock I appeared to be two miles astern.

RECEIVER NAMED

FOR PERTH AMBOY SHIP-BUILDING COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 6—Vice Chancellor Stevens today appointed Willard P. Voorhees of New Brunswick, N. J., receiver for the Perth Amboy Ship-building & Engineering company of Perth Amboy, N. J.

The appointment was made upon the application of A. R. Ramsey, treasurer of the company. A rule was granted for cause to be shown on August 11 at Newark why the receivership should not be made permanent.

Mr. Ramsey is empowered to continue the business for the purpose of finishing some contracts that are under way. The liabilities are $311,000, including a $250,000 mortgage on the plant. The assets are $170,000.

DEMURRERS OVERRULED

ANOTHER STEP IN POST OFFICE CASES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6—The district criminal court today overruled the demurrers to the indictments for bribery in connection with the government purchase of letter-box fasteners of August W. Machen, the former general superintendent of the free delivery service, and D. B. Groff and Samuel Groff of this city.

Counsel for the defendants noted exceptions to the ruling.

STEAMER ON FIRE

FRENCH MAILER IS AT KOBE, JAPAN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KOBE, Japan, Aug. 6.—The French mail steamer Tonkin, Captain Schmidts, from Marseilles, June 28, via Colombo, July 15, for Yokohama, has arrived here on fire. It is hoped that the flames will be extinguished.

FUNDS ARE SHORT

Warrant Issued for Bank Teller

By Associated Press to The Sun

CANTON, Ohio, Aug. 6.—A shortage in the funds of the City National bank, which it is stated may reach $22,000, has been discovered. The officials of the bank say it will not affect the concern, as it has a surplus of $50,000. Albert W. Beible, teller at the bank, has been removed from his position and a warrant issued for his arrest.

BARGES LOST

THE CREWS OF BOTH WERE SAVED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 6.—Tug Mars was caught out in the storm of yesterday and today came in to report the loss of two barges, the Bradley and the Monarch, but that they were able aboard the tug to save the crew of both barges. The tow was bound to the eastward and when 10 miles to the southward of Montauk Point, it is reported the two barges began to fill and after much hard work the men aboard were rescued before the barges foundered. The tug proceeded after notifying the owners.

TIME EXTENDED

FOR COMPLETION OF SAFETY EQUIPMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The interstate commerce commission today ordered another temporary extension until Oct. 15 of the time within which a number of railroads must complete their safety equipment. The commission will in the meantime consider the further extension of the law and the question of the location of grab irons on engines. Among the roads granted the extension are the Pennsylvania, Erie and the Boston & Maine. The last mentioned company appealed for time for putting automatic couplers on locomotives and making the coupling equipment on passenger cars uniform with the locomotive equipment.

SENATE COMMITTEE

MEMBERS GATHER AT SENATOR ALDRICH'S PLACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 6.—The members of the sub-committee of the senate committee on finance, are gathering at Senator Aldrich's country residence at Warwick, preparatory to discussing the details of the financial bill which is to be presented at the next session of congress.

Senator Allison arrived last Tuesday from his home in Dubuque, Iowa, and Senator Platt reached this afternoon, proceeding immediately by electric car to Warwick. Senator Spooner of Wisconsin is not expected here for a day or two.

In discussing the visit of the members of the sub-committee, Senator Aldrich said that no formal meeting would be held, but that the finance question would be discussed informally whenever it was convenient during the visitors' stay.

SPECIAL NOTICES

DOUBLE STAMPS, BLUE—All this week; 60 with a pound of Baking Powder, 40 with a pound of Tea, 20 with a pound of Coffee. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Daniel H. Reynolds, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court, for probate, by Hannah M. Reynolds, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court, to be held at Cambridge, in said county of Middlesex, on the first day of September, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this twenty-first day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

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WANTED—Situation by an all-round cook with reference. Apply L. B., Sun office.

BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD

Corrected to June 22, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.30, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, x7.50, w*8.00, *8.17, w9.25, *9.50, w10.00, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, w3.10, x3.03, *3.47, w3.55, *4.02, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w6.15, *6.22, 7.00, *7.19, 8.42, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.21, 8.48, 9.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 4.25, 5.58, 8.45 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, x7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28 (to Lawrence only), w2.30, 3.55, 5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, w11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 9.28, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.45, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06, 7.00, 9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.30, 8.45, p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.28, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, j2.30, j3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Haverhill Bridge, Newburyport, Hampton, Northampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach R. R., 2.55 p. m. until Sept. 4, inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 6.28, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. (to Bangor only); 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machisport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, 7.31, *7.48, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 5.46, 6.28, 7.31, 7.48, 9.30, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 1.56, 4.28, 5.22, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.24, 8.45, 9.30, p. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, *9.20, *9.50, *10.30 a. m.; *12.05, 1.00, 1.39, *1.54, 3.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.50 a. m.; 12.05, 1.39, 5.39, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport (N. H.), Claremont and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, *9.20, *10.30 a. m.; 1.39, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.00 p. m.

For Tilton, Laconia, Lakeport, Weirs, Meredith and Plymouth, 7.30, *9.50 a. m.; 1.54, 5.39 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, 10.39 a. m.; 1.54, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.33 a. m.; *12.00, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, 1.54, *b9.10 p. m.

References:—
jVia Wakefield Junction.
*Express. bDaily.
qWednesdays and Saturdays only.
wVia Western Division.
xVia Bedford. zVia Wilmington Junc.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.
H. C. TAFT, General Agent, Lowell.

SUN WANTS ARE READ BY EVERYBODY

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A good capable girl for general housework in a family of five; no small children; American or Swede preferred; will be treated as one of the family; a steady, reliable girl wanted in a quiet family. Address George, Sun office.

WANTED—Young man for decorative painting; also lady for decorative design and office. Apply Lowell Decorating Co., 243 Central street, room 7.

BARBER for Saturday. Apply 34 Bridge street.

WANTED—An experienced table girl at once at Mrs. Lombard's, 21 Bradford St., Tremont corp.

WANTED—An elderly woman to do light housework and care for a child. Apply at 67 Pleasant street.

WANTED—Five men of good education and good appearance to take historical data for filing at Washington, D. C. "Record," Sun office.

WANTED—Middle aged woman to assist in kitchen work. 46 Mass. corp.

WANTED—At once, order rock. Apply 290 Bridge street.

WANTED—A woman to do light housework and to care for two children. Call 131 Cushing street.

WANTED—A man from the country used to care of cows. S. P. Pike, 528 Middlesex street.

CIRCULAR DISTRIBUTORS $5 per 1000; no canvassing or peddling; experience unnecessary. Continental Distributing Service, Chicago.

WANTED Lady or gentleman to travel; salary $10 per week and expenses; state where can be seen. Address I. C., Sun office.

WANTED—Good chamber girl, kitchen girl and table girl at 53 Lee street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST Small bunch of keys Wednesday night on Middlesex street between the Bennery and Branch street. Return to J. H. Burns.

LOST—Brindle and white Boston bull terrier pup, from Willow Dale, Saturday; age, 10 weeks, answers to Carlo. Reward at 111 Central street.

LOST—Saturday evening on Coral street, a purse containing sum of money and H. G. R. class pin. Reward if returned to F. M. Perkins, 125 Branch St.

WANTED

YOUNG MEN to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamp. Department 34 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg, New York.

WANTED—To buy a 10 to 20 horse power upright boiler. Call on E. J. Whitman, corner Jackson and Revere streets, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED Cheap driving horse. Call at 60 Grove street Sunday or evenings before 8.

ROOMS to paint, paper and whitewash; stock and labor $4 per room, first class work. Send postal and I will call with samples of paper, or call at store, 241 Lakeview avenue. M. A. Gilligan & Son.

YOUNG LADIES to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamp. Department 35 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend building, New York.

WANTED—Children to board in country; desirable home; terms reasonable. Address Box 163 Billerica Centre, Mass.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford. Take Boston car, second house on right past city line.

ST. CHARLES BARBER SHOP, 400 Middlesex street; 5 first-class workmen; under the management of Louis Joy. Your patronage solicited.

ANY BUSINESS can be improved by advertising it in this column.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A. Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in city. Merrimack Loan Co., 23 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, Room 28, Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leinhas, Room 3, Barristers' hall.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—In Ayers Village, Mass., a 6-room cottage, L and stable, five acres land, 40 fruit trees; two minutes' walk from church, store, post office; four miles from Haverhill; $1100, $500 down. Gagnon & Bennett, 173 Merrimack street.

FOR SALE—Best lot of land, Branch street, for house or business; price $1250. G. P. Walker, 561 Middlesex street.

IF YOU WANT to sell your real estate communicate with me quickly; I have customers; best forms fire, life and endowment insurance written. M. J. Sharkey, Swan building, 26 Central street.

FARM FOR SALE

Situated in Tyngsborough, on main road; one mile from electrics and steam cars; two miles from North Chelmsford; 30 acres, divided into tillage, pasture and wood; can keep several head of stock; house contains 10 rooms, convenient for two families; buildings newly shingled and painted, in perfect repair; fine large barn; hen house 70 feet long, large silo and ice house; lots of fruit; trout brook; best of neighbors; running spring water in house and barn; close to large quarry; good chance for boarders, winter and summer; best farm for sale within 5 miles of Lowell; call this week. H. W. J. Howe, Courier-Citizen building.

SUMMER RESORTS.

THE WASHINGTON, Hampton Beach; comfortable rooms by the day or week; cafe on the European plan; all home cooking; souvenir sea shells and novelties.

NAHANT BEACH Board and rooms by the day or week; old and new patrons will be accommodated. F. L. Dwyer, 12-14 Suffolk street.

"THE LEIGHTON," Salisbury Beach, is now open for the season; good rooms and the finest board.

INFORMATION WANTED.

INFORMATION WANTED As to the whereabouts of Charlotte O. Matrejean (nee Blonnel) wife of Joseph L. Matrejean, formerly of this city, now of Port Arthur, Texas. Kindly leave such information at Sun office.

INFORMATION WANTED as to the whereabouts of John, James, Joseph, Thomas and William Duffy, sons of Mary Duffy, formerly of Fall River. Address Eliza Daley, care The Sun office.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—The furniture of an elegantly furnished house on the Highlands; buyer can rent house if desired; eight rooms, gas, steam heat, laundry and stable. E. H. White, 137 Central street.

FOR SALE—Good steel boiler, 60 horse power. Call on E. J. Whitman, corner Jackson and Revere streets, Lowell, Mass.

SCOTCH COLLIE PUPS, full pedigree; sable and white. Call evenings at 105 Crawford street.

BOARDING HOUSE on Broadway, near Lawson's, for sale; must be sold at once. Write C. B., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Two large store front windows and three counters; all as good as new; will sell cheap. Inquire at 498 Lakeview avenue.

FOR SALE—Gentleman leaving the city wishes to sell 2¼ karat diamond at a bargain. Address S. S, Sun office.

MANURE FOR SALE—By carload. For prices, etc., apply Londergaard & Nelson, 12 Kingston street, Charlestown, Mass.

FOR SALE—A full blooded bull terrier; cheap. Inquire 23 Cross street.

FOR SALE—A large liquor saloon, all furnished, in first class manner, on Main street, opposite the post office, in Woonsocket, R. I.; the place is now doing a good and profitable business. For further particulars inquire at 51 Main street, Woonsocket, R. I.

CAMP FOR SALE—On the banks of the Merrimack river suitable for a family of eight, 5c fare from Lowell; also a boat. Apply 3 Alder street, Lawrence, Mass. Edward Sharkey.

FOR SALE A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dress makes. Poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

FOR SALE

A Few New Modern, Up-to-Date Houses in Most Desirable Locations

Will sell for several hundred dollars less than same building can be constructed at present prices of labor and material. Terms easy.

Also choice building lots in Belvidere and Highlands. Apply to

D. W. DEWAR
13 Merrimack Sq., Room 4.

The Finest House Lots

In this city are between School street and Walker street, on Broadway, and the prices are very low per foot. For further particulars inquire of

E. H. MORSE,
380 Middlesex St., Morse Coach Co.

MISCELLANEOUS

MRS. P. H. COREY offers her sympathy to the afflicted and wishes to call the attention of the people whose homes have been destroyed by the awful explosion that they may have anything in her store at cost price and delivered free. Mrs. P. H. Corey, General Supply House, 197-199 Middlesex street.

DRINK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Doyle Bros. Telephone.

MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office, 355 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

MISS TYLAM, clairvoyant and life reader; card reading 25 cents. 81 Merrimack street, corner John, over drug store, two flights up, room 14.

BARGAINS—Linen markers from 75c to $4; rubber type from 25 cents to $2.50. One-third less than elsewhere. Print your own show and price cards. They sell the goods. J. M. Fellows, 153 Merrimack street.

WE ARE ALL READY for fall styles from $1 up. Caps from 10c up at Delorme's, the hatter, 251 Middlesex street.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 150 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGauvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City Hall.

LADIES—Dr. LaFrance's Compound gives positive relief. Powerful combination. Used by 20,000 women. Price 25 cents. Druggists or by mail. Address LaFrance & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Rent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects. Cures dandruff and itching scalp. Prevents falling hair. Harmless, 25c. Only at Falls & Barkinshaw, 48 Middlesex street.

TO LET

TO LET—Six and seven room tenements at 85 West Third street. Apply H. Carp on premises, or 94 Middlesex street.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 203 Appleton street, Weston house.

NO TIME TO SPARE—It will be necessary to act quickly if you are thinking of changing your tenement this summer. Our policy of putting our tenements in all up readily and you will have to act at once if you desire one. Our aim is to furnish a first-class, tidy, healthful home to self-respecting families at the lowest possible rent. If you want a comfortable, respectable home at small cost and where you will have good neighbors, call and see us. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—In I. O. O. F. block, Chelmsford, store and basement; has been used for last eight years as a bakery. Martin Robbins, 96 Prescott street.

TO LET Beacon street, corner Methuen, on car line, new seven-room two-tenement house; bath, hot water, set tubs and furnace; low rent right party. Apply G. R. Myers' market, Bridge street.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let in private family. Apply 61 Church street.

TO RENT—Four large rooms for $3.50 per week; all newly papered. No. 20 Wall street, facing Concord river. Key at same house.

TO LET Nicely furnished front room; gas, bath, etc. Call 48 Stackpole street.

TO LET Tenement of 5 rooms, pantry and bath; up one flight. Inquire 37 Smith street.

TO LET—Tenements on Appleton and Railroad streets; near mills and depot; cheap rent. E. T. Goward, 274 Appleton street.

FOR RENT—September 1st, 84 Lakeview avenue, six rooms; yellow cottage. Apply to Capt. Reade, 81 Lakeview Ave.

TO LET—Three newly finished and newly furnished rooms; good rooms for nurses or man and wife. 236 Westford street.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 large rooms, sink room and bath room, hot and cold water; surrounded by green vines; nice front and rear yard, with a number of trees and nice lawn. Inquire 117 Howard street, opposite schoolhouse.

TO LET—Flat of six rooms on Rogers street; hot and cold water, open plumbing. Apply 327 Fairmount street.

SHORTHAND IN 20 LESSONS

Absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties, everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamp. Department 36 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend building, New York.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR JULY

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of July, 1903, was **15,459** A gain of 1952 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Aug 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞ This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞ An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

There will be a big crop of damage suits growing out of the explosion. The lawyers will have a finger in the pie to the end.

Mayor Howe has decided to act upon the suggestion of The Sun and place a contribution box in front of the waiting station on Merrimack square so that those who wish to contribute small amounts for the explosion sufferers may have an opportunity of so doing. Every little counts.

Schwab steps down and out of the United States Steel company. Thinking of the matter from a business standpoint it does seem strange how Schwab could earn his salary and at the same time spend most of his time in Europe. We presume the heaviest draft upon his energies was the drawing his salary.

Congressman Littauer is surprised and disappointed at Secretary Root's decision that there may exist a prima facie case of violation of the statutes in connection with the glove contract now under investigation. He seems to think that a republican congressman should have a license to rob the government with impunity especially when he happens to be a friend of the president.

During the three months ending March 31 there were 300 persons killed and 2834 injured in railroad accidents in the United States. Other railroad casualties brought the total number to 827 killed and 11,481 injured. The Boers lost only 3700 in killed during three years of war with Great Britain, and the moral seems to be that war in Africa is a great deal safer business than railroading in the United States.—Detroit Free Press.

While the figures giving the manner of casualties are astounding, the Press man's idea of proportion is apparently very vague.

PROMPT RELIEF NECESSARY.

It comes to light that while money has been freely subscribed for relief some of the sufferers have had no relief. The funds should be promptly applied to the needy cases. It will not do to spend several days investigating. There are cases the prompt relief of which is imperative.

SCHWAB AS A TEXT.

Schwab was held up as an example to young men when he was elevated to the presidency of the steel trust. It was the result of perseverance, industry and so on. His retirement may also be held up as an example to young men: No man who makes several attempts to break the bank at Monte Carlo can expect anything different. One year's recklessness will undo the work of long years of perseverance.

THE NEW POPE.

The election of the patriarch of Venice to the papal throne is hailed as a triumph for what is known as liberal Catholicism. Having been a warm friend of the late King Humbert, it is probable that he will maintain more friendly relations with the Quirinal than did his illustrious predecessor. He is recognized as a harmonizer, without any preconceived policy. He will deal with matters appertaining to the welfare of the church when they come before him. He is distinctly a harmonizer rather than a politician or mere diplomat. Cardinal Gibbons is said to have urged the objection against Rampolla that he cared more for states and governments that he did for peoples.

The new pope is 68 years of age, the same age at which Pope Leo ascended the throne and Pius X being a robust man who takes good care of his health, he may reign to reach the "years of Peter."

In the opinion of those most competent to judge he is well equipped to carry on the beneficent work of reconciling all the world to the benign influence of the church and harmonizing all peoples and all nations under the banner of the Redeemer.

AS TO NEWSPAPER CRITICS.

The Fall River Globe refers to a species of criticism that is quite common here, as we assume it is in Fall River. It is the criticism that comes from individuals who are always ready to find fault with the newspapers for what they publish and what they don't publish. It is to such people the Fall River paper refers in the following:

"Over 50,000 people, it is estimated, visited on Sunday last the scene of the Lowell explosion. This indicates what a deep interest the public takes in such gruesome happenings. And yet, there are people who are continually animadverting against the press for giving so much space to horrors of this nature in order that their readers may be fully informed of everything appertaining to them. Imagine what the popular verdict would be with respect to the newspaper as a purveyor of news that regulated its policy in such matters to conform to the ideas of these hypercritical people who pose as censors, and would have news of this character reduced to the barest mention or cut out entirely. We venture to say that if this plan were observed they would, on occasions, be as vigorous in their fault finding over the omission of the details as they are at other times because the same are printed."

After giving serious attention to such critics for a while the editor soon finds it impossible to please everybody and finally decides to please only himself, which is usually the best course to follow.

MOTHER JONES AND HER ARMY.

Mother Jones at the head of a lot of footsore children has led her forces to Oyster Bay to besiege the president in his castle. She was determined to meet the president and present her weary troops as objects of his commiseration. Unfortunately the strategem which she had laid did not carry. It was frustrated by the counter movement of the president sending out his secretary with a message of peace to the leader of the army. It set forth the president's sympathies for children and his hatred of child labor as paramount to those of Mother Jones, and that an audience with the leader of the army would be futile as it was beyond the power of the executive or of congress to interfere with the states which maintained child labor.

Possibly the president was afraid that had Mother Jones got into his presence she would have developed the Carrie Nation mania and produced an axe with which to enforce her appeals. But Mother Jones retired in discomfiture with nothing to reward her for her long journey—not even the face of a cartwheel.

It now remains for Mother Jones if she wishes to prosecute her campaign to the end to see the governors of the various states and appeal to them in behalf of the children whose cause she has espoused. But who will furnish the shoe leather, who will supply the commissariat of the army? It really looks as if Mother Jones and her army will have to disband. They can get no satisfaction or sympathy from the powers that be. In the meantime the children must toil on and Mother Jones still lament their fate; but the day is not far distant when the little ones will be relieved, not through peripatetic armies but through the wise use of the ballot, by sending to the legislatures of the various statesmen of humane instincts, men who are opposed to child slavery, men who can withstand the advances of the corporations without yielding to the temptation

SEEN AND HEARD

Magistrate Crane, sitting in the Harlem police court, a native of Lowell, is one of the most original and picturesque magistrates in the state. While not as radical as was Judge Dewey of Boston, the police never know what to expect. He gave Detective Liston of the East 126th street station a pretty smart talking to a few days ago.

The detective arrested William E. Francis, 29 years old, of 229 East 125th street, last night for blowing a policeman's whistle.

"Why, I know of no law that prevents a man from blowing a whistle," said the magistrate, when the prisoner was taken before him.

"But it was a policeman's whistle," said Liston.

"I don't see that that makes any difference," said Mr Crane. "When I am in good humor I often whistle on my way home. I hope I shall not run across you, officer, when I am whistling; you might arrest me. Now, how long have you been on the force?"

"Eight months," replied the abashed detective.

"Well, I will forgive you this time," said the magistrate, and he discharged the prisoner.

Francis had blown his whistle in order to bring assistance to a restaurant at Third avenue and 126th streets, where a fight was taking place. The prisoner's brother, John, was arrested on the complaint of Arthur Erler, a waiter in the restaurant, who charged him with having fired a revolver during a dispute.

John Francis was held in $1000 bail for examination.

When Billy Delmage, the veteran janitor at city hall, tires of telling snake, caribou, moose, fish and bear stories he sometimes turns his attention to horses and what Billy doesn't know about horses would make good reading for Owen Carney. Billy's best horse story has to do with a battle royal between a thoroughbred and a wild buckskin. The latter was the leader of a wild band and the stallion was a Kentucky thoroughbred that had run wild.

"It was such a battle," said Billy, laying his woodstock on Joe Pattee's desk, "as would have brought delight to the brute soul of a Nero.

"With fore feet and teeth the two stallions engaged, circling madly about on their hind legs, tearing up great clods of turf, biting and striking as opportunity offered. At last, by a quick, desperate rush, the buckskin caught the thoroughbred fairly by the throat. Here the affair would have ended had not the black stallion, rearing suddenly on his muscle ridged haunches and lifting his opponent's fore quarters clear of the ground showered on his enemy such a rain of blows from his iron shod feet that the wild buckskin dropped to the ground, dazed and vanquished.

"Standing over him, with all the fierce pride of a victorious gladiator showing in every curve of his glistening body, the black thoroughbred trumpeted out a scientific roll of defiance and command. The band that had watched the struggle from a discreet distance now came galloping to, whinnying in friendly fashion.

"Black Eagle had won his first fight. He had won the leadership. By right of might he was now chief of this free company of pinto rangers. It was for him to lead whither he chose, to pick the place and hour of grazing, the time for watering, and his to guard his companions from all dangers.

"As for the buckskin stallion, there remained for him the choice of humble following the new leader or of limping off alone to try to raise a new band. Being a worthy descendant of the chargers which the men of Cortes rode so fearlessly into the wilds of the new world, he chose the latter course and, having regained his senses, galloped stiffly toward the north, his bruised head lowered in defeat."

"Where did that all happen?" asked an inquisitive reporter.

"Just beyond the Lowell line in Dracut," said Billy, as he reached for his walnut colored woodstock.

KEENAN IS HELD

FOR DELAYING THE UNITED STATES MAIL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7—John Keenan, a steamship foreman, who, after signing articles to ship with the United States steamship Admiral Schley, a vessel carrying mail to St. Antonios, Jamaica, declined to make the trip and in so doing delayed the mail about three-quarters of an hour on Wednesday, was held for the grand jury by U. S. Commissioner Fiske yesterday charged with retarding the U. S. mails.

Assistant Attorney J. H. Casey summarized the case as follows:

"This man disregards the rights of the United States, disregards the law on the statute books as to the retarding of the United States mails, disregards the consequences of his action in retarding mails in order to stand by his union."

Keenan refused to sail with the vessel because he did not like the accommodations provided for the men.

SARTO'S ELECTION

HAS AROUSED GREAT ENTHUSIASM IN HIS BIRTHPLACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 7—The mayor of Riese, the birthplace of the new pope, in replying to an inquiry wires to the Italian bureau of the Associated Press as follows:

"The election of Cardinal Sarto as pope has aroused indescribable enthusiasm here. The people are preparing special festivities which have been unanimously approved by the city fathers. The village being almost entirely composed of peasants has no idea about the policy or tendencies of Pope Pius X and I am unable to give you any information on that point. He was of the humblest birth.

(Signed) "ANDREAZZA, Mayor."

The pope has decided to hold a secret consistory on Monday next and a public consistory on the Thursday following.

A RESEMBLANCE

MRS. MOORE OF PITTSFIELD, ME., ANXIOUS FOR HER HUSBAND.

Undertaker O'Connell is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Charles Moore of Pittsfield, Me., who seeks information relative to Charles Moore, who was killed in the magazine explosion at South Lowell.

She enclosed her husband's picture and stated that he had left home last April and had not since been heard from.

The picture sent by her bore a striking resemblance to the Charles Moore that was killed.

The man who was killed had lived in this city for about 20 years, and the husband of Mrs. Moore in Pittsfield, Me., is safe, so far as the recent explosion is concerned.

CONTEST EXPECTED

OVER THE WILL OF MARGARET MAGOUN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Aug. 7—A contest of the will of Margaret Magoun of Medford, adopted daughter of the late Thatcher Magoun, whose property she inherited, is expected. An attorney representing the children of Thatcher Magoun who under the will of Margaret Magoun receive $5 each, while her relations are given the bulk of the property, has filed an appearance in the probate court, while Judge John W. Hammond has filed a declination to be executor. Edwin H. Pope who with Judge Hammond was named by the testatrix, has petitioned to be appointed executor.

FIREMEN OVERCOME

WHILE INVESTIGATING A SUPPOSED FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TIFFIN, O., Aug. 6.—Fire Chief Weimer, Capt. Gregg and four other men were overcome by carbonic gas today while investigating a supposed fire in Wilson's cold storage plant. All are in serious condition.

ONLY SIXTEEN LEFT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 7—The third day's play in the western golf tournament was narrowed down to 16 contestants. Chandler Egan had the easiest match of his week's play with Tweedie. Egan had him bye down at the turn and won the match seven up and six to play.

A keen match was the one between W. Egan and W. Carhart. At the turn Egan was three up and was playing steadily. He played a fine game on the green, while Carhart was weak on his putting and approaching.

E. Byers had J. Town five down at the turn.

Champion Louis James had an easy time with Joseph Rolo, Cleveland, and will apparently win easily.

CONGRATULATIONS TO POPE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 7—At a quarterly meeting of the board of supreme trustees of the Ladies' Catholic Benevolent association of the United States yesterday, a cablegram of congratulation was sent to the newly elected pope, Pius X.

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BRUTAL ATTACK

Made on Strikers in Southern Russia

THEY WERE TRAMPLED UNDER HORSES' FEET

Also Were Whipped by the Cossacks

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The Daily Mail's Nikolaieff correspondent, under date of August 2, fully confirms the Times correspondent's accounts of strikes in southern Russia. The correspondent says that a quarter of a million men are affected, and that simultaneously strikes occurred over a vast industrial area. The strikers, on the whole, have preserved exemplary order, but this, however, has not served them from having attacks, directed by Gen. Arsenioff, governor of Odessa. Groups of men who assembled last Saturday with the intention of holding a meeting, were driven into a solid mass by 500 Cossacks, backed by two lines of infantry with fixed bayonets. About 2000 strikers, being thus enclosed by a double cordon, the Cossacks rode through them, striking right and left with heavy whips, the fallen men being trampled under the horses' feet.

"When the living mass had been thoroughly kneaded to the governor's will," continued the correspondent, "numerous men were arrested as suspected agitators. The infantry then marched off and the strikers scattered in a dozen directions with Cossacks at their heels. It is reported that 400 strikers were more or less seriously injured and from from six to a dozen succumbed. The whole affair is a typical piece of administrative savagery.

At Odessa the police and gendarmes belonging to one depot threatened to off their uniforms and risk all the terrors of insubordination unless the miserable pittance of eleven to fourteen pence which they are allowed daily was increased and the hours of labor reduced. Siberia is losing its terrors even for Russian policemen.

"The epidemic of incendiarism is spreading through Russia. In twenty-four of the largest towns the damage by fire during the past months is estimated at from $20,000,000 to $35,000,000. The object of the bulk of the fires is to get insurance money. Many of the incendiaries are Jews and the insurance companies in some cases have raised premiums fifty per cent."

OFFICERS CHOSEN

Postmasters Will Meet in Atlantic City

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7—At last evening's session the postmasters were addressed by Third Assistant Postmaster General Edward C. Madden and Auditor Henry A. Castle of the post office department. Committee reports were received and it was voted to hold the 1904 convention at Atlantic City, N. J. These officers were then elected.

President, F. B. Dickerson, Detroit, Mich.

First vice-president, W. E. Hull, Peoria, Ill.

Second vice-president, A. W. Wills, Washington, D. C.

Third vice-president, H. B. Odell, Newburg, N. Y.

Fourth vice-president, G. A. Hibbard, Boston.

Treasurer, T. C. Lawler, Rockford, Ill.

Secretary, W. E. Springer, Detroit.

BUILDERS' LEAGUE

WITHDREW PLAN FOR SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Aug. 7. Unexpected developments in the peace move of the Builders' Exchange league caused a fresh break in the plans for the general resumption of operations next week. After the proposals for the ending of the lock-out had been sent to the Building Trades council Wednesday which stipulated that the league should employ only union hoisting engineers pending a settlement of the scale, it was discovered with one exception, not a contractor in the city was employing union engineers as such. No attention had been paid to the other contractors by the workmen, but they singled out A. and S. Wilson as the firm to attack and compel the signing of the union scale before anyone else.

The discrimination against Wilson and company was not relished by the league members and when a reply to the proposition made by the league for a settlement was received at the Builders' Exchange, the league decided to withdraw the whole plan and stand on the original ground which demanded that the workmen of all trades return to work on the Wilson contracts on exactly the same conditions as existed before the strike began. This withdrawal of the peace proposition places the lockout in the same position it was a week ago and the fight is still on.

NOT HIS STORE

COUNCILMAN BARRY NOT PLEASED WITH REPORT OF SEIZURE.

Councilman James Barry takes exceptions to the report of the seizure made at the saloon formerly kept by him in Market street. The Sun intimated that Mr Barry was the present occupant of the store and he says such is not the case. Mr. Barry says he has nothing whatever to do with the store, having transferred it to William Fury, and that the store was closed from May 1 to July 17.

MONEY FOR SENATOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 7.—Returns received by the Commercial Appeal from Mississippi indicate the nomination of H. D. Money for United States senator and J. K. Vardaman for governor.

LAWN PARTY POSTPONED.

The lawn party scheduled to be held last night by the Lawrence and District Union for the aid of the explosion sufferers in Lowell, was postponed because of the inclement weather.

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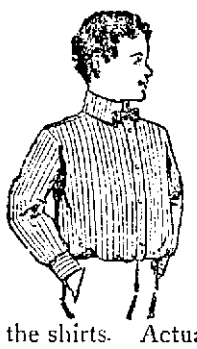

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Just the time to get shirts for schoolwear; there will not be one left when you want them in September.

Some Smart Bargains in Men's Summer Hose

We put on sale today 6 cases or 480 dozens, or 5760 pairs of excellent summer hose. While many of the hosiery mills have stopped and others have advanced their prices from 15 to 25 per cent., we offer this great lot of hose on the basis of the prices we paid months ago, in preparation for this event.

80 Dozens men's fast black well known Sterling Hose, nicely made seamless stockings, regularly sold for 10 cents, this lot

7 cents a pair or 4 pairs for 25 cents

100 Dozens men's fast black hose, lisle finish high spliced heels and toes, very fine guage; **60 dozen** cadet blue hose, lisle finish, and **40 dozen** fast black seamless hose, silk embroidered; these three lots of hose that regularly sell for 20 cents a pair, we offer for

10 cents a pair or 3 pairs for 25 cents

100 dozens men's fast black silk lisle finish hose, high spliced heels and toes. **100 dozens** fast black, lace top, silk lisle finish hose, high spliced heels and toes; very fine guage, combed yarns. Regular price 25 cents a pair, in this sale at 12 1-2 cents a pair

HOLD ON MR. MAYOR

Committee on Accounts Call an Emphatic Halt

His Honor Refuses to Meet the Committee and Sent a Real Sharp Letter—Fourth of July Salute the Cause of It

The joint committee on accounts and Mayor Charles E. Howe are not of the same mind and because the committee's mind does not flow in the same channel with his the city's chief executive is madder than a hatter.

Ordinarily the mayor's face is cheerful, but no thunder storm that ever made feathery billows on Lake Maseupple was half so dark as was Mr. Howe's countenance when he received the committee on accounts' communication asking him to step up to its august presence and explain why he ordered a salute fired on the Fourth of July.

The committee met yesterday, frowned on the salute bill and forwarded the following letter to his honor, the mayor:

Lowell, Mass., August 5, 1903.
Hon. Charles E. Howe, Mayor,
Dear Sir:—
At a meeting of the Joint Committee on Accounts held on even date, approval of a bill for $125, against appropriation for incidentals in favor of Lowell Mechanic Phalanx, was withheld.

The next meeting of the committee will be held Wednesday, August 12, 1903, at 10 a. m., and it was voted that you be invited to be present at the time, then to give information upon the bill referred to.

Respectfully yours,
FRANK M. DOWLING,
Clerk of Committees.

They do tell that it was just a shade warm in the mayor's office when that letter arrived. The king of the municipal palace hollered to his faithful secretary and told him to answer the committee's letter. He intimated to his secretary that he wanted to make the committee feel a good deal less than thirty cents and the secretary broke loose as follows:

Lowell, August 6, 1903.
Messrs. Alderman James J. Gallagher, Councilmen Patrick F. Welch and Charles H. Worcester, Joint Committee on Accounts.
Gentlemen: I have to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from your committee dated the 5th inst., and signed by Frank M. Dowling, Clerk of Committees. The bill speaks for itself. As mayor of an American city I decline emphatically and absolutely to appear before your committee to discuss either the discretion or authority of the chief magistrate to order a salute fired at the public expense upon the occasion of an anniversary of American Independence. I remain

Yours truly,
CHARLES E. HOWE,
Mayor.

The committee, however, feels that it is their duty to question certain bills that come before them and simply wanted to find if there was any legal warrant for paying the bill. The mayor's reply throws no light on this point.

PARTED 30 YEARS

DR. FREEMAN WEDS DR. ELIZABETH JANET CHILD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BURLINGTON, Vt., Aug. 7.—Dr. Daniel Freeman of Chicago and Dr. Elizabeth Janet Child of Bethel were married yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was one of uncommon interest.

Dr. and Mrs. Freeman are each more than 60 years old, and in their youthful days were lovers, but because their letters were intercepted by a jealous girl they drifted apart and did not see each other for more than 30 years, during which time Dr. Freeman had married and buried a wife.

The wedding took place at 3 o'clock and a general invitation was extended to the public, not only to attend the wedding but also the reception held at the home of Dr. Child.

One of the features of the wedding was the presence of Sarah Chapman, aged 101, who acted as bridemaid.

Dr. Freeman and Miss Child met 40 years ago, when the latter was a pupil at the state normal school. At that time a very intimate friendship sprung up and it soon ripened into love, concluding in an engagement.

Dr. Freeman went to Chicago and went into business. He continued to correspond with Miss Child, but had in his employ a young woman who became jealous of him and letters from him to Miss Child and from Miss Child to him were intercepted.

As a result both thought that the affections of the other had been alienated and the correspondence was dropped. Dr. Freeman married and lived in Chicago until his wife died, a few months ago. He then came east, and during the course of his visit met Miss Child, who had become a doctor, and their intimacy was renewed, culminating in marriage.

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Fine Lawn Waists, formerly sold at $1.49, $1.98 and $2.98, now 49c

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Ladies' Wash Suits, formerly sold at $4.98 and $6.98, now $2.98
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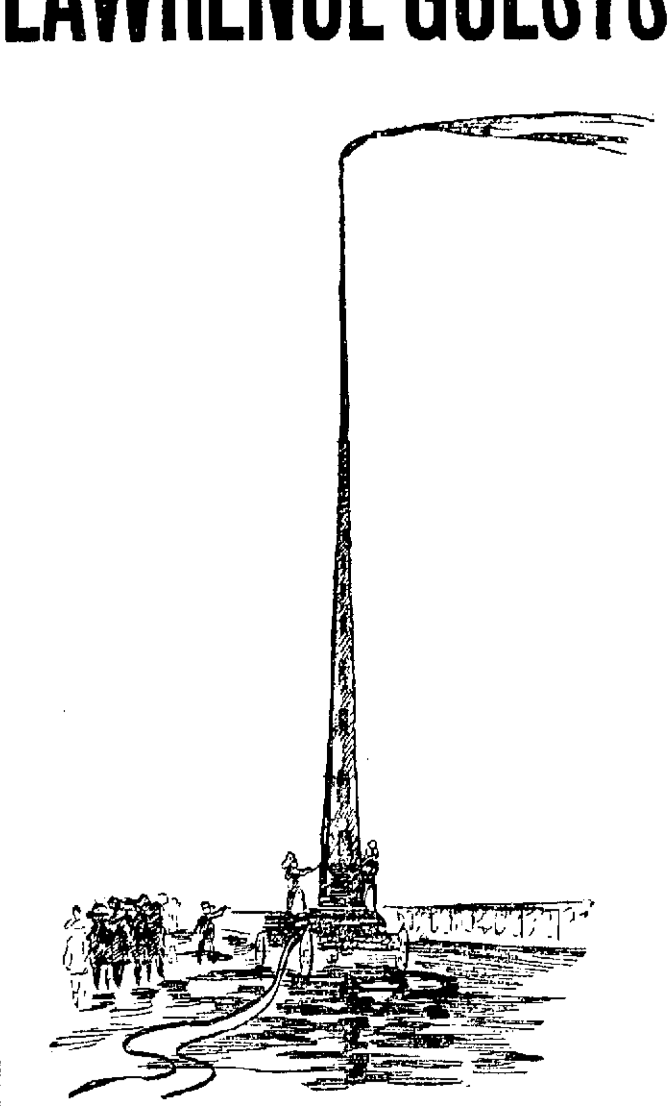

THE WATER TOWER ON EXHIBITION.

Witnessed Exhibition of the Water Tower

Members of the Lawrence city government, members of the fire department and newspapermen of the down river city, made a trip to this city yesterday to see the workings of the water tower belonging to the local fire department.

Some time ago the board of aldermen of Lawrence voted to purchase a water tower for the fire department, but when the resolution came before Mayor Grant, that official returned the same without his approval. The aldermen thought that the city of Lawrence was in need of a water tower but wished to see the working of the local water tower before going ahead and adopting the resolution over the mayor's disapproval.

The officials communicated with Mayor Howe and Chief Hosmer, of the fire department and both of the local officials informed the Lawrence officials that they would be pleased to explain the workings of the water tower and also the entire fire department system.

The visitors were met at the square by the members of the fire department committee. Aldermen Richard J. McCluskey and James G. Hill and Councilmen C. Fred Hard, W. J. Hayes and Timothy Donohoe, Chief Hosmer, Assistant Chief Norton, Aldermen Gallagher and Casey and many others of the local government. The Lowell people boarded the special car which went up to the new Aiken street extension, where all disembarked.

Here the party was met by His Honor Mayor Howe and several other members of the government, and escorted to the new Aiken street bridge over the north canal, where all was in readiness for a display of the water tower.

The tower was placed on the bridge while on the side was located engines 3 and 6 of the fire department. The hose and all connections were made, and for more than an hour the visitors were treated to a rare sight.

The tower under the direction of a squad of firemen from the Palmer street engine house, was raised and lowered with the greatest celerity, the different nozzles were used and the power of the stream and the distance it could be thrown astonished the Lawrence statesmen and especially some of the members of their fire department.

The demonstration was quite successful.

After the exhibition on the Aiken street bridge the visitors were escorted to City hall, where the mayor again received them. They were shown through the various chambers of the municipal building. The Central fire station was next visited, and here again the Lawrence people were surprised to find that our equipment was strictly up to date.

A trip to the ruins and a lunch at the Merrimack House, where the down river gentlemen were the guests of His Honor, Mayor Howe, completed the day's official visit. The party returned about eight to Lawrence.

Among the Lawrence people present were the following: Chief Charles G. Rutter of the fire department, City Clerk C. J. Corcoran, City Auditor R. J. Shea, Maurice Dorgan of the Lawrence American, Timothy Daley of the Lawrence Eagle, First Assistant Chief John W. Towle of the fire department, Electrician Bert Hasty of the fire department, William W. Smith, George H. Richards of the Lawrence Telegram C. H. Hollihan, Aldermen Cusack, Hert, Lacaillade, Vose and Belmont, Councilmen Salisbury, Cay, O'Neil, Finnegan, Dooley, White, Kelliher, Teller and Knowles, Representative Elect J. J. Connor of the Lawrence Sunday Register and J. Rodney Ball of the Lawrence Sun. Among the Lowell officials present who have not already been mentioned were Councilmen Frank A. McLaughlin, Samuel Fleming, Edmond Fontaine, President of the Common Council Cecil L. Adams, William Brown, Clerk of Committees F. M. Dowling, Inspector of Wires James McElholm, Superintendent of Public Buildings James B. Conlon, Private Secretary Edwards Cheney, City Messenger Pattee and many newspapermen.

THICK AND FAST

REVERE MAN ARRESTED TWICE WITHIN AN HOUR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

REVERE, Aug. 7.—Thomas H. Roberts was twice arrested within an hour yesterday afternoon. He is the present occupant of the hotel formerly known as the Lincoln house, which was raided lately by the state police. Last year Mr. Oakes, now chief of police, managed the property as the Goodwin Sisters hotel, and previously to that it was run for many years by Roberts.

Yesterday Constable Mugford served a writ of replevin on some goods in the building claimed as the property of the Goodwin Sisters. Chief Oakes and Patrolman McCrystal went with the constable, and their presence in the hotel is said to have angered Roberts.

According to the story told by the officers, Roberts aimed a blow at Oakes' face, which the officer partially dodged. Roberts was arrested and taken to the station charged with assault on an officer.

He obtained bail and returned to the hotel before the constable and other officers had finished their work. More words passed between them, and in a few minutes Roberts was again on the way to the police station charged with disturbing the peace and using profane language. On these charges he is under $250 bonds to appear in the Chelsea court tomorrow morning.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH PICNIC.

The annual picnic of St. Mary's parish of Collinsville will take place tomorrow at Mountain Rock. A good program has been arranged and besides a long list of sports, includes dancing, afternoon and evening, music and other forms of enjoyment.

The admission to the grounds is twenty-five cents.

BASE BALL SPALDING PARK

LEAGUE GAME.

SATURDAY—New Bedford vs. Lowell

Game Called at 3.?? o'clock.

Admission 25c.

THE RACE ISSUE

Prominent Factor in Next Campaign

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The evident purpose of many representative democrats of the south to make the race question a leading issue in the next presidential campaign excites much interest among politicians here. The recent race riots in certain northern and western states are regarded by these democrats as indicating a spirit of hostility to the negro, and as an exhibition of race prejudice to which the democrats may successfully appeal in a national political contest. That the republican party would not hesitate to meet such an issue is declared to be certain.

Several well known democratic members of congress from southern states have, within a few days, expressed the opinion that the democrats in the coming session of congress would force the republicans to declare whether they supported the president in his position on the negro question and whether they are the "black man's party in the north as well as in the south." These democratic congressmen, especially those from the border states, assert that what they call the republican affiliation with the negro will lose that party many white voters in the next election. The race question has kept the south solid, they declare, ever since the civil war and they believe that the issue raised in northern states containing a large percentage of negro population would give the democrats greatly increased strength and a good chance for success in the coming campaign.

In those sections of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Maryland and other states where the black vote is considerable and where clashes have occurred between negroes and whites the democrats will bring forward the argument that the republican party, and especially President Roosevelt, is encouraging and supporting the negro in his renewed activity in political affairs and in the recognition which follows such prominence.

The effect of raising this question, however, in the opinion of many conservative democrats, would be to enlist in behalf of the black man a strong section of the democratic party in the northern states, where the issue would be likely to be repudiated by thoughtful people regardless of party affiliations. The southern democrats are aware of the opposition among the northern leaders of the democratic party to bringing this issue to the front, but they evidently intend to precipitate a debate upon it in congress next winter in the hope of forcing it to the front as a leading question in 1904.

"MAJOR" TAYLOR WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 7.—"Major" Taylor last night won the final in the International Criterium cycle race after a fine struggle. Grogna was second, Meyers third and Ellegard fourth.

MANCHESTER MAN DROWNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, Mass., Aug. 7.—Charles Knight, aged 33, was drowned yesterday afternoon by the capsizing of a rowboat in the harbor. Three companions swam ashore.

FREE OUTING FOR CHILDREN.

A free day's outing will be given the children of St. Michael's parish tomorrow at Mountain Rock. Special cars will leave the corner of Bridge and Sixth streets at one o'clock.

Constipation

Its Cause and Cure

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Nature has provided only one way to get food into the system.

The necessity of getting rid of the waste products, poisons if they remain—is emphasized by the fact that she has provided four ways to get rid of them.

The bowels, the kidneys and bladder, the pores of the skin and the lungs all unite to keep the system clear of waste matter.

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Fifty Iron-Ox Tablets in an attractive aluminum case, 25 cents at druggists, or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, by The Iron-Ox Remedy Co., Detroit, Mich., U. S. A.

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1 Lot Misses' Oxfords, were 75c. Sale price 49c
1 Lot Child's Patent Sandals, were 75c. Sale price 39c
1 Lot Ladies' $2.00 Oxfords. Sale price $1.49
1 Lot Ladies' $1.00 Oxfords. Sale price 69c
1 Lot Ladies' $1.39 Oxfords. Sale price 99c
1 Lot Men's $2.50 Hand Sewed Vici. Sale price $1.98
1 Lot Men's $1.75 Calf Lace Shoes. Sale price $1.39
1 Lot Men's $1.50 Calf Lace Shoes. Sale price $1.19
1 Lot Boys' $1.00 Calf Lace Shoes. Sale price 79c
1 Lot Child's $1.25 Oxfords. Sale price 89c

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STRUCK BY CAR

One Member of Picnic Party Killed

By Associated Press to The Sun

SHARON, Pa., Aug. 7.—While returning from a picnic last evening a trolley car on the Youngstown and Sharon Electric line ran into a car ahead, killing on man and more or less seriously injuring about 20 others. The dead:

JOSEPH BEES, aged 65, of Sharon, crushed to death.

The more seriously injured are:
Archibald Lotten.
Mrs. E. Sheasley.
Miss Zella Cooper.
Mrs. Arthur Redford.
Miss Maggie Gammell.
Motorman Hays.
Carl Peters.
Lizzie Minchel, all of Sharpsville, and Elmer Ross of Sharon.

The car, which carried about 100 passengers, was returning from a church picnic at Youngstown. It was running as a special, following the regular car at a short distance. When about four miles from this city the rope holding the trolley on the regular broke. It was while repairs were being made that the special crashed into the car, completely telescoping it. The dead and injured were brought to this city.

TRAIN WENT BACK

SOME PASSENGERS SAID A MAN HAD BEEN KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 7.—The trainmen on the morning express for Worcester were given a scare about four miles from this city yesterday.

Several of the passengers thought they saw a man thrown from the train and roll down an embankment. A mild panic ensued, and the conductor was speedily notified.

Before the train could be stopped it had proceeded nearly a mile beyond the scene of the supposed accident.

The return was hurriedly made, and the "dead man" proved to be a piece of rubber hose five feet long and six inches in diameter, which had fallen from the locomotive.

Those who were first to notify the conductor of the "accident" were not seeking any laurels for their promptness after this discovery.

Lowell, Friday, August 7, 1903

A. G. Pollard & Co.

CLEARANCE PRICES AMONG THE SUMMER DRESS FABRICS

19c A YARD for our best Irish Dimities, regular price 25c. A much better assortment of patterns than we ever had before at this time of the year.
19c A YARD for our Plumatis Swiss, a fine sheer fabric, white and colored ground, with embroidered figures and stripes, regular price 29c
39c A YARD for our Fancy Grenadines and Gauze Cloths, very stylish, in black, white and pongee, regular prices 58c and 69c.
19c A YARD for our Swiss Zephyrs, in woven colors, for waists and suits, regular price 25c.
39c A YARD for our Fancy Silk Novelties, all the best designs and colorings of the season, regular price 50c and 58c.
17c A YARD for Mercerized Cheviots and Silk Ginghams, which come to us in short lengths, some slightly imperfect, regular price 50c.

PALMER STREET, CENTRE AISLE.

CLEARANCE PRICES AMONG THE MEN'S FURNISHINGS

43c EACH for Negligee Shirts, made from madras, in pretty patterns, with separate cuffs, cushion neck bands and pearl buttons, regular price 69c and 75c each.
17c EACH for Shirts and Drawers, both balbriggan and jersey ribbed, in plain and fancy colors, regular price 25c.
3 PAIRS 25c for Half Hose, all black and black and white. These are slightly imperfect or they'd be 25c a pair.

EAST SECTION, LEFT AISLE.

CLEARANCE PRICES AMONG THE HOUSE AND KITCHEN FURNISHINGS

2 FOR 25c for our Plain and Bay Window Screens, of hard wood, oiled thoroughly, regular prices 20c to 25c each.
59c EACH for our Screen Doors, regular prices 75c and 98c
89c EACH for our Screen Doors, regular prices $1.25 and $1.69. (Be sure and bring the measure of your door)—no doors exchanged.
$1.98 EACH for White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers, 3 quart size, regular price $2.39.
$2.19 EACH for the 4 quart size, regular price $2.79.
$2.79 EACH for the 6 quart size, regular price $3.39.
$1.49 EACH for Arctic Ice Cream Freezers, regular $1.98, 3 quart size.
$1.79 EACH for the 4 quart size, regular price $2.49.
$2.29 EACH for the 6 quart size, regular price $2.98.
$1.00 EACH for our $1.50 Hammocks.
$1.49 EACH for our $2.00 Hammocks.
$1.98 EACH for our $2.50 Hammocks.
$2.39 EACH for our $3.00 Hammocks.
$2.98 EACH for our $4 and $5 Hammocks.
39c A DOZEN for our Mason Fruit Jars, pint size regular price 59c.
49c A DOZEN for the quart size, regular price 69c.
59c A DOZEN for the 2 quart size, regular price 79c.
$2.98 EACH for the Blue Flame Oil Stoves, warranted odorless and smokeless, regular price $4, one burner.
$4.79 EACH for the 2 burner size, regular price $6.
$6.49 EACH for the 3 burner size, regular price $8.
TUBING 3c AND 5c A FOOT instead of 5c and 10c.
Gas Stoves and Ovens reduced from 85c, $1.50 and $2, to 69c, $1.29 and $1.98.

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TEA AND COFFEE

FOR 85c 1 pound A. G. P. Coffee, 1-2 pound Tea, Oolong or Mixed, 1 package Wonderland Pudding Tablets, 1 bottle Pickles or Olives, 5 pounds of Sugar, for 85c.

MERRIMACK STREET, BASEMENT.

A. G. POLLARD & CO.

MERRIMACK, PALMER AND MIDDLE STREETS

TOUGH OLD GAME

Rain Made the Ball Soggy and Dead

And Fall River Objected to Using a Whitewashed Sphere --Lowell Won in a Game Full of Trouble

Four hundred dead game sports sat through a rain storm yesterday at Spalding park and saw a game that made them tired. The game was full of growls and in the sixth inning when Yeager was benched for throwing a ball over the grand stand, Weddidge got sore and pitched the remainder of the game himself, making a farce out of it.

The trouble was all over the balls. The rain made them soggy and dead and while it was as fair for one side as for the other to use them, Fall River objected to them. Then Lowell tried the ridiculous scheme of whitening the soggy balls and it was one of those retouched balls that Yeager threw over the grand stand.

It was Umpire Webster's first appearance and he ran the game beautifully and would take no talk from the players. But he gave all close decisions against the runner. He'll probably do, though.

The game in detail:

Iott opened with a single across second on the second ball pitched. Warren bunted to McKenna who threw Iott out at second. Weddidge got a single. A single by Bowcock scored Warren. O'Hara fanned out, likewise Lawrence. For Lowell, Hafford hit a foul fly to Warren. Bigbie hit over second base for a single. Hickey flied to Ball in left field. Bigbie stole second prettily. Merritt flied to O'Hara.

Second inning: Moorehead opened with a single. Ball bunted to Hafford who made a bad throw to second and both were safe. Yeager bunted to Hafford and this time Frank threw right and Ball went out at second. Iott flied to Bigbie and Moorehead beat the ball home. Warren went out Cross to Lake. Lake got first on Warren's fumble and Ball misjudged Grant's fly giving him a two bagger. McLaughlin got in a single that scored both men while Benny got second on Lawrence's fumble of the ball at the plate. Connors advanced Barney with a sacrifice. Cross fanned out. Hafford foul flied to Weddidge.

Score, Two up.

Third inning: Weddidge sent a fly out to Bigbie. Bowcock went out on a grounder to McLaughlin. O'Hara hit a hot one to Hafford causing him to drop it and pick it up again. It looked as if O'Hara beat the ball out at first but Webster called him out.

For Lowell Bigbie sent a dandy to left for two basses. Hickey scored him with a single to right. Then came a funny play. Merritt bunted intending to sacrifice. Yeager fumbled the ball and Weddidge went out and got it while Bowcock covered first. But Weddidge threw wild and Merritt got to second. Lake struck out. Grant went out, Warren to Weddidge while Hickey scored and McLaughlin closed the inning, Warren to Weddidge.

Score, Lowell 4, Fall River 2.

Fourth inning: Lawrence hit to McLaughlin and died at first, so did Moorehead on a close decision. Ball hit to Lake, who threw bad to Cross at first and Ball was safe. Ball stole second, McLaughlin making a pretty catch of a bad throw. Yeager went out, Hickey to Lake.

For Lowell, Connors hit to Warren and died at first. Cross flied to O'Hara in deep center. Hafford foul flied to Weddidge.

Fifth inning: Iott flied to Hickey, Warren got a single. He tried to steal and was caught a mile. Weddidge hit to Hafford and died at first.

For Lowell, Bigbie flied to Iott, Hickey drew a base on balls. Merritt fanned and Lake went out, Bowcock to Weddidge.

Sixth inning:

Bowcock was an easy out, Cross to Lake. O'Hara struck out. Lawrence popped a foul fly to Lake.

For Lowell Grant flied to O'Hara.

At this point a kick ensued over the balls used. There were pretty dead but immaculately white, having been whitened. Fall River kicked on the whitened ball and Yeager, making a bluff to pitch threw the ball over the grand stand and out of the grounds. Umpire Webster immediately put Yeager out of the game. Weddidge after a big kick went in to pitch himself and Joe Courneen, the pitcher, went on first. When Weddidge had pitched one ball it was discovered that the ball was ripped and then Lake produced two new balls. After this the game proceeded. McLaughlin flied to Ball and Connors died, Moorehead to Courneen.

Seventh inning: Moorehead flied to Bigbie, Ball flied to Cross. Courneen retired from the game and Riedlus went to bat and made a single. Iott drew a base and got second on a passed ball. Warren fanned out.

For Lowell, Cross got a swift pitched ball in the back and took first. Hafford drew his base. Bigbie advanced both with a sacrifice. Hickey scored both with a hit, Merritt to Warren forcing Hickey at second. Lake drew a base and the crowd begged Weddidge to put in a pitcher, Grant went out, Warren to Riedlus.

Score, Lowell 8; Fall River 2.

Eighth inning: Weddidge opened with a hit and stole second, Bowcock flied to Hickey. O'Hara hit a high drive with steam on it that Hafford pulled down but couldn't hold. Lawrence hit a grounder to Lake who tried for a double play at second. But he threw wild to second and Weddidge scored while O'Hara started for third. McLaughlin threw wild to third and O'Hara scored. Moorehead got a bunt single and Ball struck out.

For Lowell, McLaughlin hit to deep left and got third on Ball's excusable fumble. Connors went out, Moorehead to Riedlus. Cross made a pretty two-bagger to the left field fence scoring Barney, Hafford and Bigbie retired on flies to Moorehead and O'Hara.

Ninth inning: Riedlus foul flied to Hafford and Iott and Warren retired on flies to Grant. The score:

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Hafford 3b	4	1	0	0	1	3	1
Bigbie lf	4	1	2	3	3	0	0
Hickey 2b	3	1	2	3	2	1	0
Hickey 2b	3	1	2	2	2	1	0
Lake 1b	3	1	0	0	10	0	2
Grant m	4	1	1	2	2	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	1	1	1	3	3	1
Connors rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
McKenna p	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Cross p	3	1	1	2	1	2	0
Totals	31	7	7	10	27	11	4

FALL RIVER.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Iott rf	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Warren 3b	5	1	1	1	1	5	1
Weddidge lb, p	4	1	2	2	7	0	1
Bowcock 2b	4	0	1	1	1	1	0
O'Hara m	4	1	1	1	4	0	0
Lawrence c	4	0	0	0	3	0	1
Moorehead ss	4	1	2	2	1	2	0
Ball lf	3	0	0	0	2	0	1
Yeager p	2	0	0	0	0	1	1
Courneen lb	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Riedlus lb	2	0	1	1	3	0	0
Totals	36	4	9	9	21	9	5

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lowell	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	1	x—7
Fall River	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1—4

Summary: Lowell 3, Fall River. Two base hits, Bigbie, Cross. Stolen bases, Bigbie, Weddidge, Ball. Sacrifice hits, Bigbie, Merritt, Connors, Ball. Bases on balls, off Cross, off Yeager, off Weddidge 2. Struck out, by McKenna 2, by Cross 3, by Yeager 3. Left on bases, Lowell 7, Fall River 7. First on errors, Lowell 2, Fall River 2. Hit by pitched ball, Cross. Passed ball, Merritt. Time, 1.45. Umpire, Webster. Attendance, 400.

NASHUA 2; HAVERHILL 1.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 7.—Haverhill was defeated yesterday afternoon in a closely contested game. Voorhees pitched a great game and tied the score in the third inning on a strike out. Graham, Ashenbach and Sheets made sensational running catches while Jordan's hitting was a feature.

Score by innings:—

Nashua	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 x—2
Haverhill	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Earned runs—Nashua 2. Two base hits—Pastor, McLean, Dupee. Three base hit—Jordan. Stolen bases—Jordan, Voorhees.

Double plays—Graham and Soffel; Dupee, Kelly and Murphy. First base on balls—By Voorhees 2, by Dupee 2. Hit by pitched balls—Pastor, Ashenbach. Struck out—By Voorhees 5, by Dupee 1. Time—1.30. Umpire—Sullivan. Attendance—500.

NEW BEDFORD 1, CONCORD 0.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 7.—With two out in the ninth inning, a two base hit by Burrill and a single by Murphy, gave New Bedford the only run scored in the game with the locals yesterday afternoon. Greene and Josslyn were the opposing pitchers and the latter's work was the feature of the game.

Score by innings:

New Bedford	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1

Earned run—New Bedford. Two base hits—Burrill, Noblitt. Stolen base—Joyce. Double play—Josslyn and Stroh, Stroh and Murphy. First base on balls—Off Josslyn 1, off Greene 1. Hit by pitched ball—Pulsifer. Struck out—By Josslyn 2, by Green 6. Time—1.30. Umpire—Jordan. Attendance—200.

OTHER GAMES.

AMERICAN:—

At Philadelphia—Athletics 4; Boston 2.

At Washington—New York 4, Washington 0.

At Chicago—Chicago 5, St. Louis 1.

At Cleveland—Detroit 7, Cleveland 6.

NATIONAL:—

At St. Louis—Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 3.

At Boston—Boston-Brooklyn game postponed (rain).

EASTERN:—

At Rochester—Rochester-Providence postponed on account of wet grounds.

At Baltimore—Baltimore-Montreal postponed, wet grounds.

At Buffalo—Buffalo 5, Jersey City 0.

NEW ENGLAND STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	48	29	.623
Nashua	36	32	.530
Lowell	36	33	.522
Concord	33	32	.573
Fall River	37	40	.481
New Bedford	33	41	.446
Lawrence	31	46	.403
Haverhill	21	52	.288

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	60	31	.659
Chicago	57	39	.594
New York	51	36	.586
Cincinnati	48	44	.522
Brooklyn	41	45	.477
Boston	36	49	.424
St. Louis	31	55	.370
Philadelphia	31	58	.348

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	56	34	.622
Philadelphia	54	37	.593
Cleveland	46	43	.517
New York	43	41	.512
Detroit	44	43	.506
Chicago	41	47	.466
St. Louis	40	48	.455
Washington	29	60	.326

GAMES TODAY.

Haverhill at Lowell.
New Bedford at Manchester.
Fall River at Nashua.
Lawrence at Concord, two games.

DIAMOND NOTES.

Pitcher Vail has jumped Nashua.

Either McKenna or Bushey today.

Tommy Burbage has been released by Fall River.

Stackpole has not appeared in New Bedford up to date.

Umpire Webster used to catch for Portland long ago. He's over seven.

Hamilton has been offered $450 to finish the season in New Bedford.

Two games tomorrow with New Bedford.

The T. R. & T.'s will meet the crack Ballardvale team at North Billerica tomorrow and will have to hustle to win.

AMATEUR DIAMOND.

The Hudsons would like to arrange games with teams under 13 years.

The Little White Rabbits defeated the Whipples by a score of 16 to 15 in a ten inning game. They made a clean sweep and after the game was over they mopped the streets with them. The line up is as follows: D. Trainor c, William Dwyer p, Freddie Mulvey 1b, T. O'Keefe 2b, J. Moloney lf, J. Gill 3b, K. Moloney cf, A. Wiley rf. We would like to play them for a quarter ball Saturday afternoon.

Send our challenges to Freddie Mulvey, 48 Whipple street.

HELD IN $1000

FOR FRAUDULENT USE OF THE MAILS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 7—L. E. Holloway of this city was arrested yesterday charged with fraudulent use of the mails. He pleaded not guilty when arraigned before Commissioner John L. Rice, and was held in $1000 bonds. Holloway represented himself to be the president of the Highland Loan and Trust company, which had deposited $25,000 with the Home Publishing association for prizes to be given to persons who made the nearest correct guess on the receipts of the Springfield post office. Holloway admitted that he was the association and the trust company.

BEY ESCAPED

NOTORIOUS KURDISH CHIEF IS AT LARGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7—A letter from Yedda dated July 21 reports that the notorious Kurdish chief, Moussa Bey, who was responsible for many of the Armenian outrages, has escaped from Medina with several other Kurdish chiefs, where they have been living in exile, and that all attempts to intercept them have failed.

Moussa Bey figured extensively during the Armenian troubles in 1894-5. He wounded Rev. Mr. Knapp, an American missionary, in 1895 and despite the evidence against him, was acquitted. The United States minister and the American missionaries resented the verdict and to imprison them the sultan exiled him to Medina.

FRED. VAN RENSSELAER DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7—Frederick Harold Van Rensselaer, a member of the old New York family of that name, died yesterday at Long Branch, L. I., where Mr. and Mrs. Van Rensselaer were spending the summer. He succumbed to an attack of cerebro meningitis, from which he has been suffering for some time. He was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John King Van Rensselaer of this city. He has been prominent in New York and Newport society and was a graduate of Yale. In April of 1898 he married Miss Lucy Josephine Grinnell, the daughter of the late Robert Minturn Grinnell, and a niece of James J. Van Alen.

INTERNAL COMMERCE

FIRST HALF OF THIS YEAR COMPARATIVELY CONSIDERED.

Internal commerce conditions in the United States as reported by the department of commerce and labor through its bureau statistics show that the first half of the current year compares favorably with the corresponding period in 1902 or 1901. With a few exceptions the volume of trade thus far this year equalled, if not exceeded, that of last year, though occasionally falling below the high level of 1901. There is no evidence of a general recession in commercial activities, corresponding to the extraordinary shrinkage in speculative values.

Western staples for this year have gained materially over last year, receipts of live stock at five markets having amounted to 15,126,661 head, compared with 14,958,345 head in the first six months of 1902 and 15,710,300 head in 1901. The numerical decrease from 1901 occurred in hogs, which have been averaging equal to, or heavier than in 1901, and much heavier than in 1902. Coincident with this, the trend of prices for hogs has been downward. The price at Chicago on July 1 was $5.79 per hundred, against $7.61 a year ago.

Wheat receipts at eight interior markets for the crop year ending June 30, 1903, were 236,675,669 bushels, compared with 221,766,387 bushels in 1902 and 217,058,743 bushels in 1901.

The total shipments of provisions from Chicago and Chicago points for the first 26 weeks of 1903 were 621,138 tons, against 653,217 tons in the same period of 1902 and 556,029 tons in 1901. Shipments of flour from Minneapolis were 8,379,625 barrels, 7,683,708 barrels, and 7,218,721 barrels, respectively. Six months' shipments of grain from Buffalo by rail were 44,453,900 bushels in 1903, 37,259,404 bushels in 1902, and 59,098,624 bushels in 1901.

On the Great Lakes the tonnage of coastwise traffic shipped from ports reporting to the end of June this year has totaled 29,113,227 tons, compared with 19,439,458 tons and 12,621,977 tons in 1901. Coal tonnage for the half year amounted to 7,833,809 tons, of which 5,590,936 was shipped to domestic ports, and 2,332,873 tons to foreign points. Domestic iron ore shipments were 7,936,177 tons, of which 3,922,074 tons were shipped in June. The registered tonnage for six months this year in the domestic trade of the lakes reached 25,570,757 net tons compared with 25,342,698 net tons in 1902. The freight tonnage via the Sault Ste Marie canals was 11,944,934 tons in 1903, 11,486,501 tons in 1902, and 6,767,120 tons in 1901.

At the North Atlantic seaboard grain receipts including flour reduced to bushels, were as follows for six months:

New York 62,053,140 bushels in 1903 and 48,831,490 bushels in 1902 Boston 16,867,234 bushels in 1903 and 13,876,398 bushels in 1902; Philadelphia 20,442,659 bushels in 1903 and 16,865,078 bushels in 1902; Baltimore 16,190,924 bushels in 1903 and 16,069,077 bushels in 1902. Officially inspected receipts at the port of Portland, Me., totaled 6,906,879 bushels, of which 1,653,193 bushels were of American origin and 5,153,656 bushels of Canadian origin.

Figures of coastwise shipments of coal are available for five months from the four ports of New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Newport News. In this period New York has reported 8,073,714 tons shipped, Philadelphia 2,288,331 tons, Baltimore 653,962 tons, and Newport News 769,806. Receipts of coal at Boston in six months this year were 3,056,972 tons compared with 2,177,732 tons in 1902.

In southern territory the cotton crop movement covers the first ten months of the current commercial year. Out of a total available supply of 10,739,877 bales, 7,660,716 bales were port receipts, 1,064,149 bales overland shipments and 1,813,500 bales shipments to southern mills. The total American spinners' takings were 3,899,127 bales, compared with 3,737,737 bales in 1902 and 3,245,559 bales in 1901. New Orleans shipped 21,914,545 bushels of grain, including flour reduced to bushels, in the first six months of 1903, and 5,945,109 bushels in 1902. Galveston's figures were 9,713,131 bushels and 1,178,786 bushels respectively.

On the Pacific coast 115,284,134 feet of redwood lumber were shipped from California point in the first six months, compared with 110,784,276 feet in 1902, and 102,248,403 feet in 1901. Citrus fruit shipments from Southern California for 35 week were 19,860 cars to July 2nd, 1903, 15,316 cars in 1902, and 22,387 cars in 1901. The cargo tonnage movement at Tacoma for this half year amounted to 511,882 tons and 714,806 tons for the first half of 1902.

River and canal traffic covers the Monongahela river, on which 5,228,856 tons were reported this half year against 4,677,587 tons in 1902; at Louisville, Kentucky, 1,161,571 tons and 1,110,936 tons respectively. The New York state canals report a tonnage to the end of June this year, of 1,031,130 tons, 902,098 tons in 1902 and 915,732 tons in 1901.

Anthracite coal shipments aggregated 31,884,952 tons for six months in 1903, 18,731,880 tons in 1902 and 27,435,952 tons in 1901.

RAISING POSTAL ORDERS

SHE MADE A CONFESSION OF HER CRIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 6.—Annie E. Shapley, who was arrested in New York and brought to this city to answer the charge of raising United States postal orders and subsequently held for trial today, made a confession. She said her operations had been carried on since May 25 and that the New York city, Trenton, Newark, Yonkers, Brooklyn, New Rochelle, Bound Brook, N. J., and other post offices in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania had been victimized by the raising of postal orders.

She also confessed to having given Joseph McNell of this city a worthless check for $350 and also obtaining $600 from Annie E. Lawrence of Wilmington, Del., under false pretences.

GENERAL LOCKOUT

1400 JEWELRY WORKERS WILL BE IDLE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—A general lockout affecting more than 1400 jewelry workers was decided on yesterday at a meeting of the New York manufacturing jewelers' association on account of demands by the New York local of the International Jewelry Workers' unions. The lockout will go into effect Saturday.

It is asserted that the union has been trying to get a rule established by which a man must pay his dues or be discharged from employment.

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ONLY TWO SAVED

Five Members of Crew Were Lost

BARGE FLORRIE SUNK OFF FIRE ISLAND

Ten Year Old Boy Among the Victims

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 7—Tug Boswell arrived here yesterday afternoon from Norfolk towing barge Emily.

The tug had on board Captain Cobb and a deck hand, the sole survivors of seven persons on board barge Florrie, which was in the tow and which went down between Barnegate and Fire island early Wednesday morning. Those drowned were Mrs. Cobb, the captain's wife; a 10-year-old son, a boy named Jones who was making the trip with the captain, the engineer and cook of the barge, names unknown.

About 11.30 Tuesday night the Florrie lost her deck house aft, which was swept away in the terrible seas encountered. The barge signalled the tug, which slowed down, but in a very few moments she went down stern foremost, and Captain Cobb had just time to seize the two boys, one under each arm, who stood beside him in the pilot house.

Mrs. Cobb, the engineer and cook were all below and were carried down with the sinking barge.

The waves tore Captain Cobb's hold from the two boys, who were swept away. Captain Cobb and the deck hand clung to a hatch and were rescued more dead than alive in about half an hour by the tug.

The tug sailed Wednesday afternoon for Boston with the survivors on board. The Florrie was bound to Providence with 2069 tons of coal.

GEN. GILLESPIE

WILL BE HEAD OF BOARD OF FORTIFICATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7—General Gillespie, chief of engineers, will be designated president of the board of ordnance and fortification on the retirement of General Miles.

THIRD READING

FOR THE SUGAR CONVENTION BILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7—In the house of commons after James Bryce (liberal) and Charles Wentworth Dilke (advanced radical) and others had vigorously denounced the sugar convention bill as a protectionist measure, the bill was passed to a third reading by a vote of 119 to 57.

KANSAS RIVER RISING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAWRENCE, Kas., Aug. 7. As a result of the heavy fall of rain here Wednesday night the Kansas river has risen about three feet during the past 12 hours. The current is swift and has undermined the north approach to the wagon bridge, and continues to eat away the north bank.

ST. LOUIS MAN

FAILED TO EXPLORE COURSE OF BLUE NILE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 7.—A special dispatch from Jibutil, a French port on the gulf of Aden, announces the arrival there from Ades Abeba, the capital of Abyssinia, of W. N. McMillan of St. Louis, who recently failed in his attempts to explore the course of the blue Nile owing to his punts being wrecked on the rocks in the river. McMillan declared that he would begin again in six months the study of the navigability of the Blue Nile. He proceeded to Ades from Jibutil.

BRIDGE SWEPT AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

JUNCTION CITY, Kas., Aug. 7.—An inch and a half of rain here Wednesday night caused the Smokey Hill river to rise rapidly and it now is over ten feet. A 180-foot temporary bridge here that took the place of one of the bridges that was washed away by the flood in May, was swept away last night and the only remaining brilge across the river in this county is in great danger.

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A Story Suggesting Great Scientific Possibilities

A WIRELESS MESSAGE

By . . . JAMES RAYMOND PERRY

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IT was in the smoking compartment of a Pullman, on a journey from New York to Chicago, that I met him. I had just finished reading in a magazine an article upon Marconi's achievement in wireless telegraphy, and, raising my eyes, I saw that the stranger was glancing down at the magazine page.

"A remarkable achievement, sir," I said. "Have you read this article?"

"On Marconi? Yes," the stranger replied.

"It seems almost past belief," I said, "that a message could be sent across the sea without the aid of wires; yet Marconi seems to have accomplished it, unless, possibly, the three ticks he heard were the result of accident, and the fact of that particular signal having been prearranged may have been only one of those singular coincidences that now and then astonish us."

The stranger removed the cigar from his lips and said: "No, the sounds Marconi heard are not to be classed among the accidental and coincidental. It was a real signal sounded by his assistants in England and received by him in St. John's. I entertain not the slightest doubt of that."

He spoke with conviction. Pulling at his cigar until the end glowed again he continued, "I might have had doubts had I not previously heard and seen things achieved along similar lines far more wonderful than Marconi's feat."

Seeing that he paused, I said: "You interest me. May I ask what those achievements were?"

For a moment the stranger was silent. Then he said: "You are aware, of course, that the vibratory theory—the theory of etheric waves—is not new. The idea that all planetary bodies, our earth included, are imbedded in what the magazine article somewhat aptly describes as ether jelly—the jelly of space—is an idea which Marconi has made use of, but did not originate. What he attempted—and has succeeded in doing—was to jar the 'jelly' and register the jars. While giving him full credit for the Columbuslike daring of his thought, I will say that that achievement alone was not difficult.

"For more than a dozen years I have been engaged in an attempt to establish wireless communication between distant points. Marconi was scarcely in his teens when I began, and if I have progressed farther than he in this study it is not necessarily to my credit. In all scientific research time is the principal factor—the great perfector.

"When the ultimate discovery in this direction shall have been made and the last word concerning it uttered, it will probably be found that the suspected but hitherto unproved fourth dimension had no small part in the great discovery. However, it is not my intention to go into that phase of the question now.

"Have you ever happened to hear the statement—seemingly incredible—that

"MAY I ASK WHAT THOSE ACHIEVEMENTS WERE?"

the slightest motion anywhere—the lift of an insect's wing, for example—starts a wave motion that does not die until it has reached and affected, to some extent, the innermost core of the outermost star of the universe?"

"I think not—I'm not sure, though—but I have in my readings run across some such hint. Probably I did not credit it. An effect so remote from a cause so slight must be very small indeed."

"To our senses inconceivably infinitesimal—yes. However, I am of those who believe it is so. So sensitive is this ether jelly in which the universe rests that when it is jarred at all it is all jarred. The half flutter of an insect's wing and the explosion of a star in outer space both set the waves in motion, and the one wave travels as far as the other.

"I wonder if you fully grasp the import of my words when I say that the innermost core of the outermost star is affected. The object mentioned is so remote that perhaps one might lose the application of its meaning. Let us, therefore, bring the subject nearer home. If the innermost core of the remotest star is affected, then of course must also be affected the innermost cores of all other stellar and planetary bodies. Among these our earth is of course included, and though in reality it is a far less wonderful fact perhaps to our finite minds it seems quite as wonderful to know that the wave set in motion by the flutter of the insect's wing is felt at the innermost core of our own earth; or, to draw into still narrower limits, it seems marvelous that this ash that I am knocking from my cigar sets in motion waves that vibrate across London, Paris, Berlin, St. Petersburg, that the words I am uttering cause waves that vibrate in Melbourne and Peking.

"May I ask you which invention seems to you the more wonderful—the telegraph or the telephone?"

"The telephone," I answered unhesitatingly.

"To me also," said the stranger. "The telephone is personal, the telegraph impersonal; therefore the range of imagination about the former is immeasurably wider. Possibly I am more imaginative than Marconi, or perhaps it was only accident. At all events he seems to have worked with the telegraph in mind, while through all my labors my imagination was dominated by the telephone.

"Now when a telegraph message from New York to Chicago is ticked off the wire nothing has really passed across those thousand miles of space. The ether jelly has been jarred in New York and the jars have been recorded and read in Chicago. So with the long distance telephone the voice itself has not been carried on an electric current across all those miles; but again the jelly was jarred, and the sensitive eardrum, aided by transmitter and receiver, has heard the vibrations. In both instances the wire has made an easy road for the vibration to travel over; but it does not follow that the road was necessary. One can pass across fields as well as along asphaltum walks. Marconi and others have realized this; only most of the others, Marconi included, have made the error of supposing you must go over fields and mountains, not through them. Yet the path lies through them as easily and naturally as over them, and herein is involved, in a manner, the fourth dimension, an explanation of which, however, we need not enter into in order to understand the operation of ether vibrations. I have spoken of the earth and the planetary bodies as being imbedded in the ether jelly. For our purpose let us alter the simile a little. Let us imagine a mass of colorless jelly with here and there a drop of chromatic fluid, forming, say, little crimson globes at intervals. Let us imagine now that the colorless portion represents the ether and the colored spheres the so called solid bodies—our earth and the other planets. The simile is necessarily crude and inexact, but it will serve. Now, while those bits of color are imbedded in the mass of jelly, they are, nevertheless, jelly, like the rest of the mass. Jar the jelly, and ether and planets are both jarred by the same motion, the innermost point of the colored globe being sensitive to the motion as well as the surface which comes in contact with the colorless portion. In this way we may perceive dimly how a wave motion—the uplift of an insect's wing or a thousand tons of exploding dynamite—shall reach the earth's core and the heart of the outermost star.

"In other words we are assuming that all material things are of essentially the same composition as the ether. Of course they are not—at least to our senses—but so far as my observation of the operation of these ether vibrations goes they are the same in

"WHICH INVENTION SEEMS TO YOU THE MORE WONDERFUL?"

that the so called solid bodies offer no slightest resistance to the progress of the waves. Progress is not quite the right word, but I have to use it. Thus, an ether wave traveling, say, from Venus to Mars, would not break upon the earth and pass around, as a sea wave might break upon a rock, but would pass directly through the earth, impeded by its presence no more than if no solid body had been in its path. Or, to draw the scale down to small proportions, I hold my hand up—so—and the waves set in motion by my words vibrate to you through my hand as freely as they do above, below and on either side of it. The hand might be a bar of steel, or for that matter a section of twenty inch armor plate. The vibration would pass through it and not seek an easier way around it. If there were an easier way around it, no doubt it would seek it, as the sea wave does at the rock, but to go around is not any easier for the ether wave. It knows no 'easy' and no 'hard,' because what seem to us obstacles in its path to it are nothing. Edgar Poe, in his 'Eureka,' was not so far astray from the truth as has been supposed, though errors—inevitable in guesswork or intuitive work like his—materially lessen the value of his conclusions.

"Marconi clearly misconceived the operation of these ether vibrations. That is, he presumed them to be subject to obstruction. Hence, he established lofty stations for setting in motion the waves and flew kites high in air to catch them as they passed a distant point; whereas he might have accomplished the same results on level plains or in deep canyons. His error was in supposing the vibrations passed around the earth—like sea waves around the rock—instead of through it. When that signal from overseas reached him it was in his thought that the waves that brought it had come over the earth's curvature, though in reality they had vibrated through it in the straightest possible path. Had he been at a point antipodal to the transmitting station the waves would have vibrated to him from directly under his feet, and a wire sunk in an artesian well would have served as well as a kite flying in air. The tremor of an earthquake travels in precisely the same way—from any one spot in the earth to any and every other spot in the straightest line.

"I admit that when the thought is new it seems difficult to believe the ether waves pass through solid bodies as freely as through thin air. But that is because we understand so imperfectly the nature of the vibrations. Why shouldn't they pass through them freely? By aid of the X ray sight passes freely through an opaque solid. I mention the X ray merely because it is of recent discovery, is novel in its workings, and yet has won popular belief for itself through its demonstrability. It would be quite as much to the point, however, and far more apt by way of illustration, for me to cite a plate glass window or a crystal globe. Both are very solid to the sense, yet they furnish no obstacle to the passage of sight. I don't pretend to say that etheric waves vibrate through solids in precisely the same way that sight passes through a plate of clear glass; not at all. But after such an illustration I fancy you will not find the other idea quite so unbelievable.

"I have gone into an explanation of these etheric vibrations at some length because without some knowledge of them you would probably find it difficult to credit the rest I have to tell.

"As the writer of that magazine article states, quite the most wonderful achievement of Marconi is what he calls the 'tuning' of the vibrations. I fancy that in this his invention—discovery perhaps I should call it—differs very little from my own. I have called it 'timing' instead of tuning. I transmit a sound at the rate, we will say, of 12,000,000 vibrations a second. If my receiver is adjusted, or 'timed,' to 11,999,000 vibrations per second, or to 12,001,000 vibrations, the receiver remains unresponsive; but if I time the receiver to 12,000,000 vibrations—or any number of vibrations exactly corresponding to the rate of transmission—the receiver instantly responds and the transmitted sounds are received."

"The transmitted sounds!" I ejaculated.

"Yes. I see you are surprised; but really it is not so remarkable. You place a telephone receiver to your ear

"I PLACED THE RECEIVER TO MY EAR."

and hear the voice of some person a hundred or a thousand miles away, and experience no particular wonder. You know the sounds have reached you over the electrical wire road and believe they could not have reached you otherwise; but don't you see you are still clinging to the thought that asphaltum walks are the only paths a man can travel over and are ignoring open fields? If a man 'cuts across lots' he may reach you quicker and more easily than if he comes around on the asphaltum walk. The same is imaginably true of the telephone wire.

"For a dozen years I have been working on an invention which embodies this idea of wireless telephony. Six months ago my invention was practically perfected. If I were to go into a detailed description of it—which I am not going to do—you perhaps would not understand me, unless you possess unusual knowledge of the science of sounds. I will say, however, that the invention is composed of a transmitter and a receiver, having some of the features of the ordinary telephone transmitter and receiver, and, necessarily, several added features; and, broadly speaking, the invention is based upon the law of etheric vibrations—the subject which I have just been discussing. It is a fundamental law, like the law of gravity, or, like that other law—not yet generally recognized, but which is involved in the fourth dimension—the law of levity.

"I made no public announcement of my invention while in its imperfected stages, because if I failed I did not care to endure the ridicule of the more—so called—practical scientists. I had but one confidant, and that a woman. You think a woman cannot keep a secret? Well, she kept one of the greatest secrets science has yet tried to conceal.

"Six months ago my invention was as nearly perfect as I could make it. Our first test was made in Chicago—between the north and south sides. Our success was all that we had hoped for. Then I took with me to New York the receiver—I had completed but one receiver and one transmitter—leaving my assistant in Chicago with the transmitter. The result of the test made between those two cities was also successful. But I was not yet ready to announce my invention. I wanted to first make a supreme test of it, and so I journeyed to Calcutta, and there installing my receiver I cabled to my assistant that I was ready. On a certain day, at a certain hour, she was to go to the transmitter and there repeat to me a message. While in New York she had sent me inclosed with another letter a sealed envelope. 'I will repeat to you,' she wrote, 'when you reach Calcutta, a certain message. After hearing it from the receiver, break the seal of this envelope and you will find within the message which I will utter. Then you will know there has been no mistake.'

"Near midnight in Calcutta, at a moment corresponding to exactly noon in Chicago, I placed the receiver to my ear, and then and there with no wire connecting transmitter and receiver I heard repeated as distinctly as you have ever heard a voice by telephone this message: 'This is Josephine. It is my voice that you hear. I am in Chicago. It is noon.' Breaking the seal of the envelope, I then read in my assistant's familiar handwriting this message: 'This is Josephine. It is my voice that you hear. I am in Chicago. It is noon.'

"After that she told me many things, but I could only listen and not answer. I could receive a message, but could not transmit one.

"The voice of my assistant was vibrated to me through nearly eight thousand miles of solid earth. Incredible as it sounds it yet was really nothing. Had she been stationed on Mars with my transmitter her voice would have reached me just the same. It would have reached me the same from the sun, or from Sirius, or from the remotest star in the universe—only it would have been longer coming. A wave once started radiates through all space.

"I am on my way to Chicago now, where I shall construct a second transmitter and receiver. With these completed I shall repeat the tests and then announce to the world my invention.

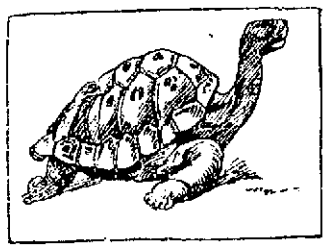
"We are nearing our destination, I perceive. Thanking you, sir, for your polite attention, I will bid you good day." He tossed away his cigar stump and left the compartment, nodding good naturedly in response to my bow.

A ROUND TABLE FOR JUVENILE READERS

TORTOISES FROM THE GALAPAGOS ISLANDS

. . . . . By ALBERTA PLATT

WHAT animal is it that has its skeleton outside of its body? There are several species of such creatures, including lobsters, crabs and the various shellfish. But the largest living thing that walks inside of its skeleton is the giant tortoise, especially that of the Galapagos



GALAPAGOS TORTOISES.

islands. Look on the map and you will find this island group under the equator, 600 miles west of the coast of Ecuador, to which country it belongs. The name Galapagos means tortoise in Spanish, and when the western continent was discovered there were literally acres of huge land tortoises in the islands. An explorer, writing of the abundance of these monsters in another locality, upon Rodriguez island, in 1691, says, "There are such plenty of land turtles in this isle that sometimes you see a three thousand of them in a flock, so that you may go a hundred paces upon their backs."

One of these huge tortoises, or turtles, yields 200 pounds of choice meat for food to man. They used to swarm all over the earth in what is called the tertiary geological period, long before the time known to history. But when man came on the scene he began to eat them. Then they disappeared rapidly from the mainland of the continents. Now there are scarcely any left anywhere, the largest number of them being found in the Galapagos islands. The reason they still exist there is that the islands are so dry and sterile few human beings can stay there.

Tortoises belong to the reptile family. About fifty years ago Charles Darwin, the great naturalist, visited Chatham island, one of the Galapagos group, and made a study of the giant tortoises. When he landed from his ship and went toward the interior of the island he was surprised to see broad tracks or roads leading from the lowlands toward the higher country. The tracks were as smooth and well laid off as if they had been made by people. Darwin, who had trained himself to observe closely everything he saw, asked what made these tracks. He was told they were tortoise roads leading from the arid lowlands to the mountain springs.

The tortoise is a very thirsty creature, though it can live a long time without water. When it wants it, however, it wants it badly and goes after it regardless of distance. The Galapagos islands are so dry that sometimes the only water on them is in springs in

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the mountains miles inland. The tortoises travel to these springs in droves or flocks. Darwin rode upon one's back for awhile, but could not keep his balance very well. Darwin said it was a strange sight to see them following the track, moving to and from the springs. About the springs there were always two lines of them, one having had its drink and traveling away and the other, the thirsty line, going to the springs. He wanted to see how fast they could travel and found the distance to be from three to eight miles a day, according to how long the tortoise stopped to eat and browse on vegetable growths. The creature when going anywhere never stops till it gets there, so that, traveling night and day, a tortoise can make perhaps four miles in twenty-four hours. Still, it does its best. If it gave up discouraged because it cannot go fast it would die of thirst.

Not long ago an exploring party visited the Galapagos islands and captured twenty-five giant tortoises. Some of them were the largest specimens ever taken, and the heaviest one weighed 527 pounds. To lift one of them required eight men. Some of them were found in the craters of extinct volcanoes. They were brought to San Francisco and placed in the Natural History museum. One or two of them had a carapace over four feet long. A carapace is the shell on the tortoise's back. Its under shell is called a plastron. These big creatures have a scary looking way of stretching their necks up till their heads are between two and three feet above the ground.

And it is said the biggest of them must be 2,000 years old, though one wonders how anybody knows that. Anyway, nobody ever knew a tortoise to die of old age.

What ship is best for the voyage of life? Friendship.

Dickie Dawdle-so's Father Gets Work For Him.

By KATE E. JAMIESON.

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Dickie Dawdle-so's natural inclination
Was to loaf throughout his long vacation;
But his father, knowing his fondness to shirk,
Determined to put lazy Dickie to work.

Mr. Manking, the grocer, was Dickie's employer;
His store on the corner of Main street and Doyer.
Dick, late the first morning, was sent home by Manking,
And his father, disgusted, gave Dick a sound spanking.

WHAT BOYS SHOULD KNOW.

A philosopher has said that true education of boys is to "teach them what they ought to know when they become men."

1. To be true and to be genuine. No education is worth anything that does not include this. A man would better not know how to read and be true and genuine in action rather than be learned in all sciences and in all languages and be at the same time false in heart and counterfeit in life. Above all things teach the boys that truth is more than riches, power or possessions.

2. To be pure in thought, language and life—pure in mind and body.

3. To be unselfish. To care for the feelings and comforts of others. To be generous, noble and manly. This will include a genuine reverence for the aged and for things sacred.

4. To be self reliant and self helpful even from childhood. To be industrious always and self supporting at the earliest possible age. Teach them that all honest work is honorable; that an idle life of dependence on others is disgraceful.

When a boy has learned these things, when he has made these ideas part of him, however poor or however rich, he has learned the most important things he ought to know.

A New Definition.

A boy in one of our public schools having been told that a reptile "is an animal that creeps" being asked the name of one promptly replied, "A baby."

THE BRIGHT SIDE.

Nanny has a hopeful way,
Bright and busy Nanny.
When I cracked the cup today,
She said in her hopeful way:
"It's only cracked. Don't fret, I pray."
Sunny, cheerful Nanny!

Nanny has a hopeful way;
Quite right, little Nanny.
Cups will break and crack alway;
Fretting doesn't mend or pay.
Do the best you can, I say,
Busy, loving Nanny!

The Unwelcome Guest.

Young hopeful has overheard his mother discussing what gentle hint would be best for the removal of their long staying guest.

Mother—Bobbie, darling, whatever are you doing?

Bobbie—Hush, mother. I've stamped and addressed him, and you can send him back by the next mail.

All That Was Necessary.

A class in a Sunday school was listening to a lesson on patience. The topic had been carefully explained, and the teacher had given each pupil a card bearing the picture of a boy fishing.

"Even pleasure," said she, "requires the exercise of patience. Look at the boy fishing. He must sit and wait and wait. He must be patient." Having treated the subject very fully, she began with the simplest, most practical question, "And now can any little boy tell me what we need most when we go fishing?"

With one voice was the answer shouted, "Bait!"

Did Him Up.

His Mother—What are you moping about the house for, Tommy? Why don't you go over and play with Charley Pinafore?

Tommy—'Cause I played with Charley Pinafore yesterday, and I don't s'pose he's well enough yet.

NASHUA GIRLS

Held Man Prisoner for an Hour

HE HAD BEATEN AND KICKED A BOY

Made His Escape in a Boat

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 7.—A crowd of girls, armed with rotten eggs, decayed fruit and the like, held a prisoner for an hour last evening. Fred Shores, aged about 25, and employed in the Campbell box factory on Water street.

The girls allege that Shores had some trouble during the afternoon with a small boy, and that he beat and kicked the lad.

So angry were the girls that they sent some of their number out to purchase bad fruit, rotten eggs, etc., with which to pelt Shores when he left the shop.

Shores learned of the girls' intentions and did not come out. The girls waited until after 7 o'clock without getting a sight of their intended victim. Hundreds of spectators gathered to watch the fracas.

Meantime a brother of Shores attempted to gain admission to the shop to confer with him.

One of the girls tried to hold the door closed, and it is alleged that Shores' brother pushed her out of the way. Thereupon the crowd made a rush for him. He was roughly handled and was struck a blow which set his mouth bleeding. He hastened away to get police protection to take his brother from the shop.

Shortly after 7 o'clock the imprisoned man signaled to a friend who secured a boat and rowed to the rear of the shop, which was out of sight of the waiting girls.

Shores is said to have jumped from a window into the boat and rowed across the Nashua river to a place of safety.

About this time the police arrived and the girls and the big crowd of the curious dispersed.

CANNOT GET WORK

DAVIS WANTS TO BE RETURNED TO PRISON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Hungry, with his last cent gone, Charles J. Davis, under sentence for forgery in Illinois, who had violated the parole under which he was released from prison, gave himself up yesterday and asked to be taken back, as he had no hope of making an honest living. Inability to get work at his trade as a stone cutter because he was not a member of a union, is the reason, he declares, for his despondency.

Davis said that he was sentenced to an indeterminate period of from one to 14 years in December, 1897, for forging pay checks on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad. Because of good behavior he was paroled after serving 14 months. He failed to report one month, was rearrested and returned to prison, where he served nine months more and was again released. He kept his parole for a while, but finally drifted to this city. Davis will be held until the Illinois authorities are heard from.

DENT FUND

BALANCE OF $1025 REWARD TO BE DISPOSED OF.

A meeting of the Arthur Dent fund committee was held last evening with only four members present, namely, Col. Alfred M. Chadwick, Secretary William Morris, D. W. Bugbee and ex-Councilman James Walker.

This representation was only about one-fourth of the general committee which was chosen some two years ago to devise means to find the body of little Arthur Dent who was at that time missing from his home and has not since been found. Considerable money was collected and expended by the committee in its endeavors to locate any trace of the unfortunate boy, but all its efforts were futile. The meeting last evening was called for the purpose of determining what should be done with the balance of the fund, some $1025. As a majority of the committee was not present it was thought better that the meeting should adjourn until next Thursday evening when it is hoped a full attendance will be present.

QUINCY SCARED

ON ACCOUNT OF A MAGAZINE THERE.

In Quincy Monday night at a meeting of the city council, leave to withdraw was reported on the petition of Harold L. Bond & Co., for permission to sell dynamite and gunpowder. This is the company which maintains a magazine in West Quincy, in which, it is said, four tons of dynamite are stored. It expected an ordinance restricting the amount of dynamite, to be kept in magazines, to a ton would be passed, but no action was brought up.

C. T. A. U. OFFICERS

HARTFORD PRIEST WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE UNION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 7—Yesterday afternoon's session of the C. T. A. U. closed with the election of officers and the selection of St. Louis as the place for holding the next annual session. The officers elected are:

President, Rev. Walter J. Shanley, Hartford.

First vice-president, Walter J. Gibbons, Chicago.

Second vice-president, Rev. John G. Brenn, Pittsburg.

Third vice-president, Mrs. Leonora M. Logue, St. Louis.

Secretary, J. Washington Logue, Philadelphia.

Treasurer, Rev. J. J. Curran, Wilkesbarre.

The union adopted as an emblem of the order a picture of an angel standing before a humble cottage. The angel has in its right hand a sword, while with the left it points to intemperance—remain away.

MOTHER AGREED

Burt Cushing and Miss Hamm Married

By Associated Press to The Sun

TILTON, N. H., Aug. 7.—Cupid wins, and to the old saying that "love laughs at locksmiths" may be added that he also makes light of a mother's "don't."

Wednesday night pretty Lena Hamm, the 16-year-old girl whose elopment was interrupted by the Tilton and Manchester police last week, was married to Burt Cushing, the lusty young farmhand who refused to take "No" for an answer from the young lady's mother, when the girl herself was willing.

The ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace Walter C. Wyatt of Tilton at his office on Main street, and the girl's mother, who, at first urged the police to use every effort to prevent her daughter from marrying Cushing, was a willing witness.

Miss Hamm and Mr. Cushing left Tilton at midnight last Friday night, and taking a carriage to Franklin boarded the early morning train for Manchester, where they intended to get married.

Mrs. James Hamm, the girl's mother, who opposed the match because of the girl's youth, had Officer William P. Lang of Tilton wire the Manchester police as soon as she learned of the flight of her daughter, to hold the girl under arrest or else send her home.

Miss Hamm came back to Tilton and was met at the train Saturday night by her mother and the two drove to their home at Salisbury.

Cushing was not discouraged, however, and he followed on the next train from Manchester and hastened to Salisbury. His persuasive eloquence soon won the mother's consent, for yesterday Mrs. Hamm and her daughter and her prospective son-in-law appeared at Town Clerk Harris M. Morse's office in Tilton and the marriage intention papers were made out.

Cushing did not let any grass grow under his feet, and in less than two hours the three had found Justice of the Peace Wyatt, who quickly tied the nuptial knot.

The couple will live in Tilton, and Cushing, who is 24, will resume his work as head farm hand at Ora G. Ladd's big farm.

"JACK THE HUGGER"

YOUNG WOMAN SLAPPED HIS FACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DOVER, N. H., Aug. 7.—A "Jack the Hugger" has begun terrorizing young women here by stepping up to them as they are passing some dark place, grasping their arm and telling them he will see them home.

Two young women were approached in this way Wednesday evening, one on Central avenue, near the First Parish church and the other on Chapel street, in the vicinity of the dump.

In each case the young woman slapped the face of her assailant and ran. The police were notified and are investigating the affair.

MRS. HAND DIVORCED

JUDGE ALLOWS HER A SEPARATE MAINTENANCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 7.—The sensational Hand divorce case was decided here yesterday by Mr. Justice Tillinghast, who handed down a decree in the supreme court finding a divorce for Mrs. Michael Hand, Jr., wife of the millionaire Pawtucket brewer.

Mrs. Hand receives $70 a week, the custody of her four children, free use of the house in which she now lives with light, fuel, etc., use of the family carriage four times a week and a competent coachman.

The divorce is known as separate maintenance and leaves a chance for the parties to become reunited.

In his decision Justice Tillinghast finds that the allegation of extreme cruelty brought by Mrs. Hand is sustained by the evidence, and that the charge of continued drunkenness, against which defendant fought strenuously, is not sustained.

The court suggests, however, that so long as Mr. Hand indulges in liquor, even occasionally, it is not safe for Mrs. Hand to live with him.

CLOSING RACES

GOOD GOING AT THE BREEDERS' MEET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BANGOR, Me., Aug. 7—Good racing characterized the closing day of the Eastern Breeders' meet at Maplewood park yesterday. The 2:25 trot and 2:21 pace were hotly contested. The summary:

Trotting, foals of 1900 and under, open class, purse $300. Oakley Baron, br s, by Huron Onkes, won; Scobies Maid, b m, second. Best time, 2:35¼.

2:21 pace, purse $500. Bounie, bg, by Prescott, won; Beatrice Greely, second; Docearo, bg, third. Best time, 2:17¼.

2:30 trot, purse $500. Harvard, ch g, by Golden Slope, won; Mountain Boy, bg, second; Glory, bg, third. Best time, 2:25¾.

2:25 trot, purse $500. Fairview Chimes, br g, by Chimes, won; Ruby Wilkes, bm, second; Don Wilkes, bg, third. Best time, 2:22¾.

NON-UNION BAND

CAUSING TROUBLE FOR FALL RIVER'S LABOR DAY PARADE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 7.—At a meeting of the Central Labor union last night the plan of the weavers' association to hire a certain non-union band of New Bedford for the Labor Day parade here, was warmly debated. A protest against such action was entered by the Musicians' union, which declared that its members would withdraw from the parade if the band was allowed to take part. The weavers' delegates said that they had tried to get a union band but were unable to do so and had hired a non-union organization. A heated discussion occupied two hours.

In defence of the New Bedford band it was stated that its members had been unfairly treated. This band and another New Bedford band had tried unsuccessfully to form a union. Then a third band of that city, without notifying the first mentioned bands, had gone ahead and organized a union and elected officers. Members of the first band thereupon refused to join and have been acting independently. A committee of three was finally appointed to confer with members of the non-union band and endeavor to persuade them to join the New Bedford union.

The committee will report Aug. 20.

BIGAMY CHARGE

Haverhill Man Finds Himself in Trouble

FALSE FRIEND CAUSE OF HIS TROUBLE

Defendant Thought First Wife Was Dead

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVERHILL, Aug. 6.—Giuseppe Montanaro was held in $500 bonds for the superior court by Judge Abbott in the district court yesterday on a charge of polgamy.

Over in Italy, sheltered among the hills, is the little town of Nola. In 1886 two young people of the town, both popular among their peasant kind, wooed and wed. They were Montanaro and Maria Concetta Napolitano. Far away there lived another lover, who had been unsuccessful in his wooing, but who did not give up all hope.

Giuseppe came to America to better his fortunes but later heard that his wife and child were dead.

This announcement dampened Giuseppe's ambitions and marred his happiness but he continued to struggle.

The false friend, for such he had proven himself, knew the result of his work and hided his time. After being apparently forsaken, Maria, who was yet alive, accepted his attentions. In America Giuseppe was living and toiling, with no hopes or ambitions, until he saw Rosana Romano of this city. Rosana was pretty and young and they grew to like each other. The liking ripened into love and finally, March 9, 1896, they went to the office of City Clerk Roberts and were married.

One day Rosana became suspicious that she was not Giuseppe's legal wife. She wrote to Italy, and in response there came an official climax in the form of a statement from the consul that Maria and her child were yet alive and that the report concerning her death was false.

From consul to consul the word was sent back, and again to Rosana in Haverhill came the word of the former marriage and of the existence of the first wife and her child, and then, after weeks of delay, the warrant for Giuseppe's arrest was issued and Wednesday night he was taken into custody by Patrolman Barrett.

He appeared in the district court yesterday. He was charged with polygamy and pleaded not guilty. City Solicitor Essex Abbott appeared for him and waived examination, the case being one within the jurisdiction of the superior court.

$100,000,000 INCREASE

IN THE PAY OF RAILROAD EMPLOYES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—The sum of $100,000,000 was said yesterday by Slason Thompson, editor of the Railway News, to represent the increase of the pay rolls of the railroads in the United States in the last year.

"Some of this, probably $50,000,000," he said, "is due to the natural increase of the business of the country; but the balance comes from the concerted action of the unions, particularly of the conductors and trainmen, in asking for and securing increases in pay.

"This movement, to which the Rock Island is the latest to yield, began a year ago in Kansas City.

"The Rock Island was reluctant to grant the desired increase, and did so only after a referendum vote of its employes showed that the men were firm in their demands."

EWEN ATTACKED

At Trial of Jett and White

By Associated Press to The Sun

CYNTHIANA, Ky., Aug. 7.—In the case of the commonwealth against Jett and White, the defence yesterday put Henry F. Wilson, a drummer of this place, on the witness stand to prove the existence of a large hole in the floor of the court house at Jackson. Curtis Jett and Thomas White were recalled and asked by the defence to go to the farther end of the court house and stand side by side with their backs to the jury and their hats on. This is upon the theory of the defence that they looked much alike and so nearly the same height that at several yards they could not be told apart.

Captain Golden, one of the attorneys, announced that the defence rested as to evidence in chief. The afternoon session was taken up in witnesses introduced to impeach Captain B. J. Ewen.

Some 25 witnesses from his own county and other witnesses from Powell county, where he resided until he moved to Jackson, some ten years ago, testified that his morality was bad, as well as his reputation for truthfulness. Others testified that he was a church-goer and never drank whiskey or gambled. Many of them appeared to be confused on cross examination.

Joseph Bruner, who testified for the defence in the first trial, was called by the prosecution in rebuttal, and said that Ewen did tell him that he knew who killed Marcum.

BUTLER VETS

GETTING READY FOR THE SALEM MUSTER.

The Butler Vets will not take in the muster at Manchester today, as they are now concentrating all their energy upon preparations for the big league must at Salem the 20th inst. At that time it is expected to induce the mayor and a large contingent to accompany them on to victory.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps

Economy in the

Underwear Section

"Harvard Mills" Union Suits. These garments have always sold for 50c. High neck, silk taped, button front, short sleeves and knee pants, also all our 50c Jersey Vests and Pants.

Friday and Saturday **39c** A Garment

Do you want a Pretty

Cover for the Center Table

A special showing this week of a 36x36 Table Cover with linen ground and embroidered work of white mercerized cotton. The designs are very handsome. The combination of white and linen forms a contrast at once striking yet modest and refreshing in their color scheme. You'll find these covers in the art department and

The Price is only **49c each**

Notice Special Window Display.

A Toothsome Morsel

Fruit Bon Bons

Worth 15c lb.

Today and Tomorrow **10c lb.**

Do you want a

White Shirt Waist

At a Very Little Price?

If you do, here's the place to get it. We have about 25 dozen that go on sale this morning. The price is little, so little that if we could reproduce a facsimile of the various styles on this page the 25 dozen would be gone before the afternoon edition went to press. There are Waists in the lot worth $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50.

The Price now is **98c**

Toilet Articles

Only One Each to a Customer

Mennen's Borated Talcum Powder. 14c.

Woodbury's Facial Soap 16c cake.

Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet soap 11c cake.

Aluminum Soap Boxes 9c each.

Eastman's "Yerong Violet" Talcum Powder 10c.

Wire Hair Brushes 7c each.

Cuticura Soap, large size, 15c cake.

Wm. N. Howell's "Witch Hazel" 9c bottle.

Eastman's "Verona Violet" Talcum 25c "Violet Smelling Salts" 9c box.

Roger & Gallet's Rice Powder 16c package.

Colgate's Violet Toilet Water 10c bottle.

Sachet Powder in packages 5c package.

"Satin Skin" Cream 21c jar.

Wm. Campbell's Almond Cream 19c bottle.

Bailey's Rice Powder 5c package. package.

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The Bon Marche

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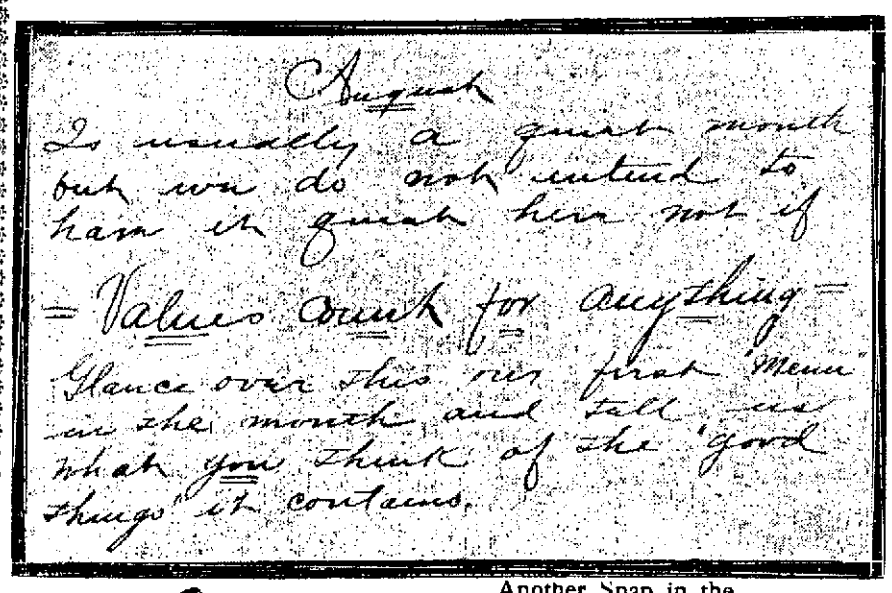

Another Snap in the

Corset Section

IN CORSETDOM

The name "American Lady" is synonymous with comfort and style. Women who have worn these Corsets will wear no other make. This has been proven time and time again. We do not mean to say that the "American Lady Corsets" are the only good Corsets on the market; no indeed, but we do say that there are none better. However

THIS IS OUR STORY

We are the only distributers of "American Lady Corsets" in Lowell, and when the makers have a special lot, naturally they favor us. That is the case in this instance. They have just sent us 50 doz. that we shall sell at

Half Price and Less Than the Half Price of the Regular Goods

In the lot are short, medium and long Corsets, in batistes, satine and coutil, not old absolete styles but just what you would buy in our regular stock. Not a Corset in the lot worth less than $1.00; some worth $1.25 and $1.50. You can

Choose now at **59c Pair**

(On Sale in front of Elevator.)

Notice Window Exhibition.

Are you going away? Perhaps your wardrobe needs replenishing. Here are three good things in

UNDERMUSLINS

WHITE SKIRTS

These Skirts were bought to sell for $1.25, but we are going to make them a leader for Friday and Saturday. The cotton is excellent quality, the sizes full and generous. They have a 15-in. flounce edged with 8-in. Hamburg; the top is trimmed with 5 rows of hemstitched tucks. All in all the value is invincible.

The Price for Friday and Saturday will be **98c**

CORSET COVERS

This cover is our "Special" Twenty-five Cent Garment, a leader in its class: the material is good quality cambric, the neck and arms size are edged with lace and 2 rows of lace insertion finishes the front; the style is French.

And the Price only **25c**

DRAWERS

These garments always sell for 25c. They are made from good cotton. The bottom has 4-in. ruffle with trimmings of hemstitched tucks.

The Price for Friday and Saturday **19c Pair**

A SPLENDID VALUE IN

Hose Supporters

We don't see how they do it; we don't, indeed. The elastic by the yard would cost as much, yes more, than the completed article is with buckles and holders, but that isn't our lookout nor yours, is it? The elastic is a fancy frill, in assorted colors.

The Price **10c Pair**

Scientific Palm Reading by

Mme Allidah

Assisted by Mme Katherine

Your character is stamped on your palm as indelibly as a tattoo on a seaman. To a scientic Reader it is a photograph of your life on which the lines of fate stand out clearly and distinctly.

It is, therefore, with pleasure that we recommend to our patrons these great scientific Palmists, Mme. Allidah and Mme. Katherine. Your past, present and future read for you in a manner that leaves no doubt in your mind that these women are indeed queens of palmistry.

10c a Reading

Reading Booths Rear of Millinery Dept.

3 Winners—You'll find them in the

BASEMENT SECTION

LINEN TOWELS.

All linen, too (not the kind that have floated by a flax patch and liking the looks thereof assumed the name "linen.") These are the genuine article, not the finest quality, but excellent for the price. The size is 18x36, good heavy weight with fast color, red border

This Lot 4 for 25c

Did you ever buy a Linen Towel for less than 12 ½c?

KAMONA HANDKERCHIEFS

Blue and Red, oil-boiled colors, venetian patterns, size 24x24. This Lot 8c each

FAST COLORED PRINTS.

Merrimack and Allen Prints, not Remnants, but full pieces, light and dark colors, the dark colors are worth 6 ¼c.

Choice of either 5c yard

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps

Here's a good thing in

Hosiery

We are overstocked in our 50c grades of Women's Hose. To effect a quick reduction we have made a very low price on them for Friday and Saturday. The assortments include LACE and FANCY EFFECTS in black and colors, and the price will be

Only 36c pair

A King

In Soap

It is called "KING COCOA"; a pressed castile toilet soap, guaranteed absolutely pure; made from the finest selected COCHIN COCOA OIL; 8 full ounces of absolute purity in every cake.

The Price only **5c cake**

Special Sale

Asters

Saturday morning **1c each**

Large full blossoms.

Spun Glass

Petticoats

We know this garment is a crack-a-jack, for we judge by the way it has sold, and we have only had it in stock a week. This is the first time, however, we have given it publicity. The material is a fine spun glass cloth with very high lustre; the sizes are not skimped, rather the reveree; the bottom is finished with deep accordion plaited flounce, headed with 2 in. pinking, and the

Price is only **98c**

Invincible? Well, Read and See if you can beat these values in the

Men's Furnishing Section

BOYS' PERCALE SHIRTS.

Light weight and good patterns, full sizes, worth 29c, now 15c each.

MEN'S SUSPENDERS.

Heavy and light weight webs, leather and mohair ends. Regular 25c grade, 14c pair.

MEN'S HOSE.

The "Hooper Knit" fast black, spliced heel and toe; seconds of the 1st quality; sell for 25c. These are 9c pair.

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Inconsistent.

He—You are a cruel, heartless creature.

She — How absurd! A moment ago you said I had stolen your heart, and now you say I haven't any.

Love.

He—Think twice, love, before you refuse me.

She—Why should I think twice?

He—Because, my dear, a woman never thinks twice the same.

Error In Art.

"Silence!" said a critic in an art gallery, reading an inscription. "The idea of representing silence by a woman!"

Wary.

Doctor—Put out your tongue.

Little Tommy—No fear. I did that to the teacher yesterday and got an awful whipping.

WELL CAST.

Slowhoy (sighing)—The sal ir makes me feel like a two-year-old.

Gaygirl (archly)—Well, you certainly act like one.

PLAYED TOO WELL.

Actor—He can play "drunken parts" better than any one in the profession.

Manager—Yes, but the trouble is he is too fond of rehearsing.

AS TO DRINKS.

Gladys—They tell me Mr. Bangs drinks terribly.

Gwennie—Oh, horribly! He pours it out in his saucer every time.

WHERE HE FAILED.

"He says that he can marry any girl he pleases."

"He can. But he never pleases one."

His Fatal Error.

"Of course I will be homelier some day," she whispered.

"Impossible," he replied gallantly. And he marvels that she sent his presents back.

His Attitude.

"I fear," said the tutor, "that you are not up on mathematics."

"No," candidly confessed the scion of the plutocratic house, "I am down on 'em."

Peace.

Wife—Oh, John, the baby's got a tooth!

Husband—Well, I hope he'll be satisfied now. He's been crying for it long enough.

Good Reason.

"What makes men with money so scarce?"

"The men who try to borrow from them."

HAD HIM THERE.

He: "We must economize. Suppose, darling, that you try your hand at making your own clothes."

She: "Oh, George, dear, I never could do that! Suppose I begin by trying to make yours."

ASK AND SEE.

He: "What would you say if I were to ask you to be my wife?"

She: "Oh, I know well enough. I made up my mind about that long ago. But there'll be time enough to tell you when you ask."

FIDO'S LITTLE JOKE.

LOVE'S SACRIFICE.

"Are you sure you love my daughter?"

"Love her? When I'm with her, and mosquitoes bite me, I don't even know it."

QUITE NATURAL.

"Do you think the photographer flattered her?"

"I suppose so. Every one does."

EVERYTHING IS.

"De Broke seems to have troubles of his own."

"I guess you don't know De Broke."

"Why not?"

"He'd have 'em in his wife's name."

PROMPT ANSWER.

Amateur Conjurer—Has any gentleman in the audience an egg?

One gentleman had, and the conjurer promptly got it.

FARMER JONES SHOWS HIS WAY OF DOING IT.

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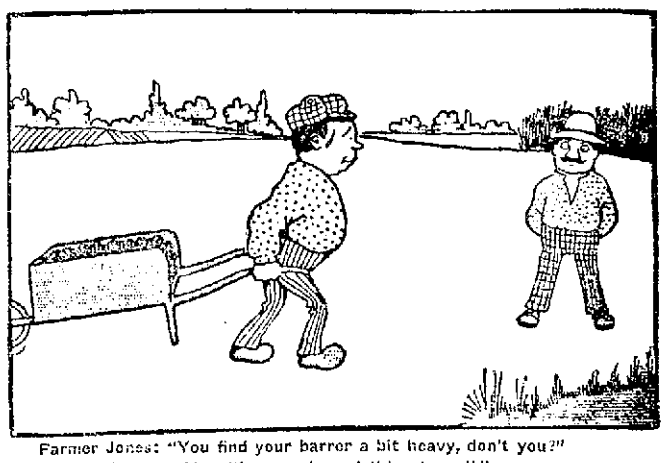

Farmer Jones: "You find your barrer a bit heavy, don't you?"

Farmer Smith: "Yes, it's an awkward thing to pull."

Farmer Jones: "Ah! that's because you—

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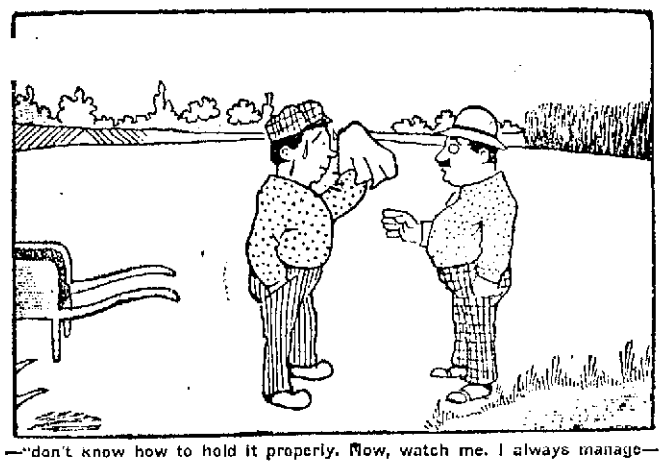
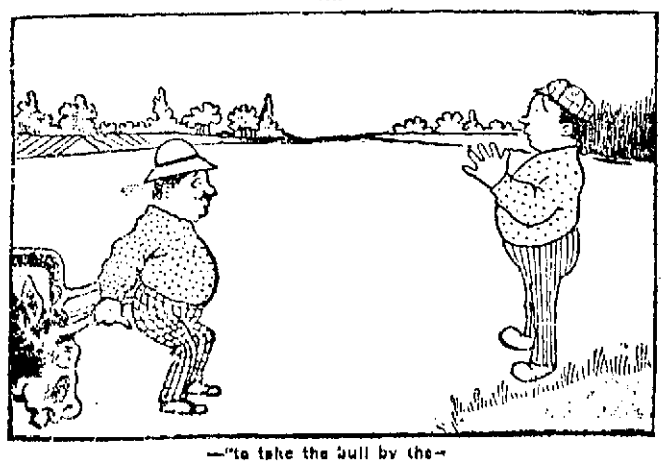


—"don't know how to hold it properly. Now, watch me. I always manage—

III.



—"to take the bull by the—

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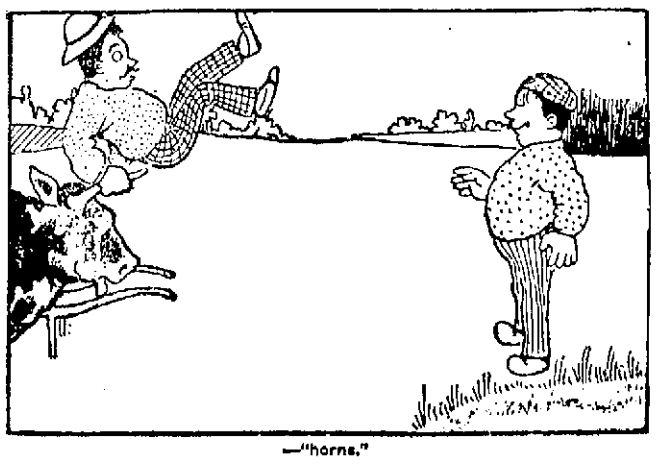

—"horns."

THE ETERNAL FEMININE.

The Old Mare: "There! If I had one like that, now, trimmed, say, with blue"—

Old Dobbin: "Dash my blinkers, my dear! These hats are making you giddier than the sun would have done."

THE CAUSE.

"What's the matter with Bingley?"

"Lung complaint."

"Twins?"

"No. Triplets."

A DIFFERENCE IN TERMS.

"She plays the piano a great deal, doesn't she?"

"It may be play for her, but for us it is far more serious."

SO SAYS THE PROVERB.

Maude—I suppose you love your fiance from the bottom of your heart?

Edyth—Of course. But then there is always room at the top, you know.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.42	8.50	6.00	7.07
4.52	7.40	6.30	7.28
e6.38	7.30	7.54	8.54
6.42	7.33	8.25	9.01
e7.01	8.02	e8.00	8.58
e7.34	8.10	9.00	9.57
7.31	8.50	e10.00	10.37
7.42	8.25	10.27	11.34
8.50	9.40	e11.30	12.07
9.40	10.40	12.00	12.56
11.00	12.08	e1.00	1.38
e11.45	12.25	1.15	1.52
e12.14	1.00	2.00	2.01
1.40	2.50	e3.00	3.34
e1.56	3.35	3.47	5.00
3.03	4.20	4.14	5.30
e3.47	4.39	e5.00	5.38
4.02	4.45	5.35	6.26
4.25	5.30	5.47	6.54
e5.22	6.15	6.14	7.27
5.44	7.10	e7.30	8.03
e6.22	7.05	e8.30	9.08
e8.19	8.00	10.30	11.34
8.42	9.38	11.40	12.22

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
e6.39	7.30	9.06	10.07
7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.49	5.00	5.59
9.30	10.12	e7.30	8.08
e4.25	5.30	e8.30	9.08
e5.58	7.00	9.06	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.30	9.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.44	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.02	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.06	4.06
2.30	3.44	4.35	5.45
3.30	4.20	4.50	6.20
3.55	6.04	6.04	7.05
5.00	6.43	6.35	7.48
6.15	7.15	8.30	10.40
7.00	8.06	B11.15	12.19
9.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.26	12.00	1.03
4.05	5.14	5.00	6.25
5.50	6.55	8.40	9.40
8.45	9.45		

Trains by western division leave Lowell from Middlesex St. Station.

e Express.

a From Middlesex Street Station only.

B Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

LOCAL NEWS

Printer—F. A. M. Tobin's Printery.

Finest Wedding Hacks at O'Donnell's stables, 84 Jefferson street. Tel. 439-4.

SATURDAY IS QUARTER DAY AT WASHINGTON SAVINGS BANK, TOWERS' CORNER.

WHITE CROSS CONVENTION AT OLD ORCHARD AUGUST 17 TO 24—REDUCED RATES VIA BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD.

The White Cross Convention will be held at Old Orchard, Me., August 17 to 24, inclusive.

A large convention is expected and a first-class program has been arranged.

Round trip tickets at reduced rates good going August 17 to 24 inclusive and returning August 18 to 25 inclusive, will be on sale at this station and principal stations on the Boston & Maine railroad.

For list of stations and rates, see Boston & Maine posters or inquire of agent.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

Wilfred Kershaw
(Organist at St. John's Church.)
TEACHER OF PIANO
ROOM 27, ASSOCIATE BLDG.
WEDNESDAYS FROM 2 TILL 7 P. M.

WELCH & DANAHEY
Practical Steam Fitters, Pipers Plumbers
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FOR SALE
One Waverly Electric Delivery Wagon
never been used; in perfect condition.
N. E. MOTOR CO.
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PATHETIC SCENE

Mother's Heart Wrung at Girl's Shame

DAUGHTER WAS SENT TO THE REFORMATORY

On a Charge of Night Walking

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7.—There was a sensational and pathetic scene in the second session of the municipal court late yesterday afternoon at the conclusion of the trial of two young women who were accused of being nightwalkers, when Judge Burke sentenced them to the reformatory for women at Sherborn, and the mother of one of them fainted in the court room, came out of the faint to go into a series of hysterics, which so affected her daughter that she, too, became hysterical, and ended it up by fainting away as she was hurried out of the court room into the house of detention.

The defendants were Phoebe Cadoza, a beautifully formed Italian girl, who has wonderful black eyes, a magnificent head of jet black hair and a rich olive complexion, and Mary E. Flaherty, about 19 years old.

The Cadoza girl listened unmoved to the testimony given by division 1 patrolmen, who told of seeing her on the streets of the North End frequently, and of her going to hotels with different men.

She was arrested several months ago on complaint of her mother, who accused her at that time of being a stubborn child, and on that occasion Judge Burke placed her on probation on the understanding that her family should move away from Commercial street, where the girl was born and brought up. They moved the girl to the home of her brother-in-law at 377 Chelsea street, East Boston, but the evidence yesterday was to the effect that Phoebe had been in the habit of coming over to the city every night and staying out late.

There wasn't a sign of emotion on the young girl's face when the judge announced that he found her guilty, and told her she could take her choice between going voluntarily to the house of the Good Shepherd or of being sentenced to an indefinite term in the reformatory.

She said calmly enough that she would not go to the house of the Good Shepherd, so the judge ordered her committed to the reformatory. She appealed in a businesslike manner, and sat down in the dock.

Her old mother, who was sitting in the court room, didn't for a minute or so comprehend what the sentence meant, but when she did she moaned feebly and fell back across the seat she was occupying.

She came out of her faint as some of her friends picked her up to carry her to the women's waiting room outside the court and went into a violent condition of hysteria, during which she cried wildly for her "baby girl."

The cause of the old mother's anguish showed her first signs of feeling when she heard the older woman's lamentations, and began crying herself. The shrieks of the mother could be heard from the room to which she had been taken, and the girl became hysterical herself and was fairly screaming when she was taken out by a court officer, who hastened to get her back into the women's prison. Just as he got her through the door leading to the cells the girl collapsed entirely in a dead faint and had to be carried bodily into the prison.

Mary E. Flaherty, the Cadoza girl's companion in misery, also used to live in Commercial street, North End, but lives now, or has recently, on Mystic street, Orient Heights. She claims she is the wife of Patrick Flaherty, but that she has good reasons for not living with him.

She told the judge she would go to her mother and stay there if he would give her her freedom, but he sentenced her to the reformatory.

The Flaherty girl appealed and was crying as if her heart would break when she was led back to the prison.

Do You Know That the Celebrated West End Brand
FLOUR
Is sold to the best family trade in this city by the
LOWELL COAL CO.
$5 Per Barrel
Use a barrel and as long as you eat bread you will have no other.
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15 THORNDIKE ST.
43 CENTRAL ST.

NO BLACKLIST

MARSHAL EATON DENIES STORY ABOUT NASHUA DRUNKS.

The Nashua Telegraph last evening published the following:

"An out-of-town paper today published a story that a black list had been started and that Marshal Eaton had notified the saloons that they were to sell no liquor to a man by the name of Rock. This brought forth a flat denial from the marshal this morning. He stated to the newspapermen at the police station that the publication was a gross prevarication.

The marshal said an inquiry had been made of him Wednesday regarding this and that he denied that there was such a thing as a black list here. He said that no complaints had been made to him regarding any drunkard.

CONCILIATION BOARD

OBLIGED TO APPEAL TO JUDICIAL COURT JUDGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 7.—The conciliation board appointed to adjust the differences between the anthracite miners and the operators yesterday, failed to agree on certain grievances, and made an appeal to the judges of the third judicial circuit of the United States court for the appointment of a seventh man or umpire. The questions in dispute will be referred to this umpire, whose decision will be final and binding on both parties.

The strike commission in its award creating the conciliation board directing that if its six members, three from each side, could not agree, an umpire should be named by one of the judges of the third judicial circuit of the United States. Judge Gray, who was president of the strike commission is one of the judges of the third circuit.

IS LIFE WORTH LIVING?
A great deal depends on the liver.
The joy of living, of feeling the rich, red blood leap through the veins; the quickening pulses, the enjoyment of the good things of life—all these blessings are denied to him who is a slave to his liver.
Your liver cannot work properly if your stomach and bowels are out of order—if you suffer from Constipation, Indigestion or Dyspepsia. Abbey's Salt of Fruits, a most pleasant tasting tonic, laxative, aids digestion, acts gently on the bowels, cleanses the system and keeps the blood rich, the circulation perfect, the nerve centres keyed to the right tone and the whole anatomy aglow with the fire and the vigor of good health.
Two teaspoonfuls in a tumbler of water taken at bedtime or in the morning will meet with the unqualified approval of your liver, stomach and bowels and set you feeling right for the day.
Drug stores everywhere sell Abbey's Effervescent Salt—25c., 50c. and $1 per bottle. If you have never used it, let us send you a trial bottle free to-day. Address The Abbey Effervescent Salt Co., Ltd., 9 to 15 Murray St., New York City; 144 Queen Victoria St., London, Eng. or 712 Craig St., Montreal, Can.

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DIVORCE DECREE

Granted to Susie Mitchell Seeley

HER HUSBAND FIGURED IN CHAPMAN RAID

They Were Married Three Years Ago

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Mrs. Susie Mitchell Seeley, who married Herbert Barnum Seeley four years after the bachelor dinner at Sherry's was raided by Captain Chapman, has won an interlocutory decree of divorce, which has been granted by Supreme Court Justice Truax. Her husband, who inherited $444,444.44 from his grandfather P. T. Barnum, bitterly fought the case, appearing on the stand to testify against the charges brought by his wife.

It will be recalled that in 1896 Clinton B. Seeley was about to be married and his brother Herbert, who was his best man, concluded to give him a banquet as a send-off that would live in his memory forever. He did. But the trouble was that it lived in every other person's memory and the words "Seeley dinner," have become as standard as "Lucullus' feasts," and "Nero's banquets." Since the dinner Mr. Seeley came into his fortune, and since then it is said that his losses on the turf have been particularly heavy.

The referee's hearing of the divorce suit was held behind closed doors. None of the details of his wife's charges became public. Mr. Seeley took the stand in his own defence, denying all of his wife's allegations. It will be three months before the decree goes into effect.

The divorce comes at the end of only three years of married life. Mrs. Seeley was Miss Susie Mitchell, the daughter of a wealthy journalist, A. P. Mitchell.

Charges were made against Captain Chapman for making the famous raid, but they were dismissed by Theodore Roosevelt, who was then president of the police board.

About two years ago Seeley expressed a wish to have control of his own fortune and his brother and Mrs. Thompson turned over to him the $444,444.44 which was the balance due him.

He went into the brokerage business with his brother, but found the work too exacting and essayed to be a racehorse man. He purchased a number of horses but none of them had sufficient speed to make him a king of the turf. One of his horses, Sentry, was primed for a "killing," last year and all of his friends were given a tip to bet on Sentry. Sentry's lack of speed came near financially wrecking a lot of the young men with fortunes.

When the dinner indictment against him was dismissed he went to Cuba to fight Spaniards. When he came back he took the gold cure at White Plains and then went to Europe where he spent large sums in the continental gambling centres, being sued once for 16,000 francs lost at baccarat at Basle, Switzerland.

In his youth he entered West Point, but resigned upon being court-martialed. His friends say he has spent money so lavishly since taking his fortune in his own hands that now he has little of what was formerly his.

BALL FIELD ROMANCE

RECALLED BY DEATH OF MRS. RADBOURNE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 7—A baseball romance, which deeply interested the lovers of the sport here, was recalled this week by the death at Chicago of Mrs. Caroline Stanhope Radbourne, widow of the famous player of the Providence league team of 20 years ago.

There were many suitors for the hand of Carrie Stanhope when she was a resident of this city in the early 80s. She was attractive and a fashionable dresser, and her admirers were numerous among the baseball fraternity and the theatrical profession.

If there was one thing that Carrie Stanhope loved better than anything else it was a stubbornly fought game of baseball. She personally knew every man of the league teams, and many of them used to make their headquarters here at her big boarding house in lower Washington street.

Among the brilliant pitchers of those days was Charlie Radbourne. Charming Carrie Stanhope had captivated him, but she looked with more favor upon another player, a member of the old Chicago team, keen and persistent rivals of the grays.

This rivalry in love intensified the rivalry on the diamond, and one day before the Grays and the Chicago nine were to meet there was a good deal of cash wagered on the result at Carrie Stanhope's, and some one suggested in a spirit of fun that the game of the morrow should settle the rivalry between Radbourne and the Chicago man for the hand of Carrie.

That game has gone down in baseball annals as one of the fiercest ever played. Providence won and to Radbourne went the lion's share of the credit for the victory.

Seated in the grand stand among the frenzied crowd that shouted themselves hoarse yelling for "Rad" was a handsome, well-dressed woman. Intently she watched every play, and those nearby noticed a deadly pallor on her face as the deciding run was made.

Three persons met on the diamond near the home plate soon after and then was heard the remark, "She's yours, 'Rad,' for you won her and the game."

Soon there was a wedding and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Radbourne went to Illinois to live in the groom's home town. Radbourne died some time ago, and the widow went to Vernon avenue, Chicago, to pass the last of her days.

The maiden name of the bride thus won was Caroline Clarke and her home was at Newport, this state. She had been married in extreme youth to an engineer of that city, but there was a disagreement and then she made Providence her home and divorce made it possible for her to wed the athletic and lucky Radbourne.

SOLD IN SLAVERY

Remarkable Story Told by a Girl

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 7—Miss Louise Haby, a 17-year-old girl, told yesterday a remarkable story of being sold as a baby for $25, into a life of bondage and of final rescue. Her father, she says, bartered her. Her place of slavery, she asserts, was a South Dakota ranch. She was compelled to do the roughest of a man's work and was forced to submit to all sorts of indignities.

For two months the young woman's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Mayer, 6322 Normal avenue, have been laying plans for her deliverance, and yesterday she arrived from Highmare, S. D., over the Northwestern road.

"Every neighbor within a radius of 10 miles from the ranch in which Miss Haby was held," said Mr. Mayer yesterday, "assisted in her escape. It was effected by relays of ranch owners with teams, each taking her so many miles and then delivering her to the next ranch owner.

"When she reached Chicago yesterday she was dressed in the garb of a South Dakota laborer. She wore a broad brimmed hat, a dress of one garment that covered her entire body, and brogan shoes heavier than these worn by any Chicago laborer."

Antonia Haby, the young woman's father who held a claim in South Dakota in the eighties, is declared to have sold the child when 2 years old to a man named Lemke for $25.

"From the time I was large enough," said Miss Haby, "I was made to do the work of a man on Lemke's ranch. I arose at 5 o'clock in the morning before the other members of the family. During cold winter evenings I would pump water for 60 cows from a well. For a short time—Sunday afternoon only—I would have an hour to myself."

FRIDAY, AUG. 7
TO BE A
Great Day at the "Daylight Store"
WHAT? WHAT? WHAT?
$15, $18, $20 fine suits, all the small lots found when we took account of stock; many of our best sellers, to be sold at
$9.75 a Suit
You can get a $15, $18 or $20 suit at this price—seems as if it would pay you to buy for next spring, if not in need now.
THE TALBOT CLOTHING CO.
American House Block, Central and Warren Streets.

DEATH RATE HIGH.

The death rate is pretty high this week and may surpass that of last week. Up to this morning there had been 57 deaths reported at the office of the board of health, while the total number for last week was 61.

Green Trading Stamp Sale
Prices Less Than Half and Stamps Given
22 Shirt Waist Suits in Chambrays and Linens, value $5, this sale $1.49
10 Silk Shirt Waist Suits value $16.50, this sale $7.50
120 Lawn Shirt Waists, value $1.25, this sale 59c
Tremendous Mark-Downs in Suits, Coats and Skirts
Chris Holmes
124 and 126 Merrimack St.
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THE PROOF
THAT OUR PRICES
—ON—
Refrigerators
Are at the lowest point, is shown by the way our big line was thinned out this week. We have some Popular Sizes Left and tomorrow will be the last day of our offer of extremely
Low Prices
Our next cut will be on prices of Baby Carriages, and will start
TOMORROW
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To all points in Europe on the Cunard, Dominion, White Star and all the leading steamship lines at Murphy's Steamship Agency, 18 Appleton street. Money orders sent to all parts of United States, Canada and Europe. Tickets to St. John, Halifax, Yarmouth and all points in Nova Scotia.

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FUNERAL UNDERTAKERS,
320, 322, 324 Market St.
Personal attention given to every detail. Funeral chapel, also morgue, connected with this establishment. Tel. 139-3.

SUMMER FUEL
A clean, healthy fuel for your kitchen. Try a load of our DRY COARSE KINDLING WOOD. It is just the thing for light cooking or kindling coal fires. Postal or telephone orders will receive prompt attention.
JOHN P. QUINN
Cor. Gorham and Dix Sts.
All Gorham street cars pass the yard.

CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP SALE

The Greatest Sacrifice of the Year !!

We've Certainly Hit the Bottom
Other Great Reductions have been made—the inducements are bigger than ever—the prices are smaller than the clothing history of Lowell has any record of. On many lines of Men's Suits, Light and Heavy Overcoats, our unprecedented mark-down prices have reduced stocks 'way, 'way down, though assortments of sizes are still good. In order to close these lots at once we have still further clipped the prices at which we have sold such enormous quantities of them the past two weeks.

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STOP AND THINK
The sort of Clothing that smart dressers will appreciate. Hand tailored from the swellest, up-to-date and best quality fabrics. Right thinking men cannot resist.

All that remain of our Men's and Young Men's $8, $9 and $10 Outing Suits. TODAY and SATURDAY they go at just $4.95
Men's $18 and $20 Suits, TODAY and SATURDAY $9.75
Boys' D. B. 2-Piece Suits. Sold up to $3.50. Down to $1.65
Boys' 35c Knee Pants, down to 19 cents
About 150 Spring Top Coats, ten or twelve different styles, that have sold up to $12.00. To close TODAY and TOMORROW at $4.95
Men's $22 and $25 Suits, TODAY and SATURDAY $14.75
Children's $3 and $5 Vestee Suits, now $1.00
Boys' up to 16 years' size Suits, that have sold up to $5 and $6. Down at choice for $2.95
About 300 men's Fine Worsted, Cheviot and Cassimere Suits, in light, medium and heavy weights, a large variety of different patterns, but of course not all sizes in each. Sold all through the season up to $16.50. To close at $7.75
Men's $4.50 and $5 Trousers. To close at $2.95
Men's $2 and $2.50 Trousers, now $1.00
All that remain of our 50c and 75c Men's Straw Hats, down to 19 cents

These Reduction Prices Shout!
FURNISHING GOODS
You'll Never Hear of Such Bargains Again

"Stag Brand" Custom Made $1 and $1.25 Negligee Shirts. Sale price 69c
Regular 50c and 75c Fine Madras Shirts, all styles, all sizes. Sale price 35c, 3 for $1
All that remain of our $1.50 and $2 Men's High-Class Shirts, go at choice for 89c
Men's 19c Suspenders, 12 1-2c
Men's 37 1-2c Underwear 18c
Men's 50c Overalls 38c
Several good styles of 15c Linen Collars, 3c 2 for 5c
Midget Silk Bow Ties 7c Each
All our well-known Work Shirts, regular 50c kinds, now 39c
All our regular $1.50 Black Stiff and Soft Hats, now 89c
Genuine Lamson & Hubbard $3 Hats. Sale price $1.95
10c Collar Buttons 4 for 4c
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and sells these goods at these sacrifices with only one object in view, and that object the conversion of this large stock into cash before the new firm takes possession, Sept. 1st.

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THE REVOLUTIONISTS

Have Chosen Boris Sarafoff as Their Commander

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7.—According to a dispatch from Vienna last night, the Macedonian central revolutionary committee had fixed August 31 as the date for a general rising and had appointed Boris Sarafoff, commander of the revolutionary forces.

Boris Sarafoff whose name has been prominent in recent uprisings in Macedonia against the Turks, has been described as "the most romantic figure in the Balkans." He was popularly believed and stated to be the real instigator of the abduction of Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary from the Vilayet of Salonica in September, 1901, in order to procure through her ransom, funds to enable the Macedonian revolutionary committee to organize the insurrection in Macedonia.

Sarafoff's hatred of the Turks was imbued at an early age through seeing his father and grandfather tortured, dragged off in chains to a dungeon and then exiled for 15 years. At the age of 14 he attacked, single-handed, the prison in which his father and grandfather were confined; but was flogged for his pains. The boy swore to revenge himself on the Turks and studied to this end, becoming an officer in the Bulgarian army.

In 1895, Sarfoff formed a band of desperadoes to raid Turkish territory. Since then he has headed 364 daring raids into Turkey. Once he captured the Turkish town of Melnik, with 40 men, putting the garrison to flight.

Sarafoff is familiar with hundreds of miles of tracks through forests and over mountains of Turkey. His whole aim is the organization of a vast rebellion with the object of seizing Constantinople and overthrowing the dynasty and Turkish rule.

SPLENDID TRIP

Supt. Moffatt Enjoyed the Salt Water

Superintendent of Police William B. Moffatt was at police headquarters today looking and feeling much better than when he went Maritime provinceward, but he is still a little under the weather.

Mr. Moffatt enjoyed his trip to the provinces immensely. The salt air did him a whole lot of good and he speaks in glowing terms of the hospitality of the New Brunswickers.

Among the many delightful sails he enjoyed was one up the St. John river from St. John to Fredericton, the capital of New Brunswick. He also crossed the Bay of Fundy from St. John to Digby and circumnavigated that picturesque island, Cape Breton.

SAVED HER LIFE

WOMAN'S BELT PIN DEFLECTED A BULLET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ASBURY PARK, Aug. 7.—A belt pin saved the life of Mrs. J. McMichael of Bernardville, N. J., who is living at the local hotel, with her daughter. Mrs. McMichael was one of a fishing party Wednesday on the Avon side of Shark river.

While baiting their hooks, the crack of a rifle was heard and Mrs. McMichael felt something strike her in the back. A second bullet whizzed past Mrs. William M. Beers, another of the party. Then the men with the rifles who were on the Belmar side of the river, were warned by shouts to stop shooting. They did so and decamped hurriedly.

Investigation showed that a bullet had struck Mrs. McMichael's belt pin and had been deflected.

LAWN PARTY TODAY.

The lawn party in aid of St. Peter's parish which was postponed on account of rain, will be held this afternoon and evening.

Miss Etta Redding of A. G. Pollard's is spending her vacation at Oxford cottage, Salisbury beach.

We call it—The doctors' medicine. You call it—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Situation as stationary fireman; first-class license; six years' experience; good reference; can go to work at once. Call 83 Shaw street.

NOTICE—The funeral of John Devine of 110 Carlisle street will take place at 9 o'clock Saturday morning from the Sacred Heart church. Friends invited.

FOR SALE—Two stoves and some household furniture; owner leaving town. Apply 4 Davis terrace, suite 7.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire of Miss Brown, 73 Worthen street.

WELCH BROS.
Plumbers and Steam Fitters, 143 Middle street. Telephone 872-4.

HIS NECK BROKEN

Viannia Struck by an Elevator

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 7—Antonio Viannia, a driver of team 11 of the New Bedford Product company, was almost instantly killed at the garbage plant near the Hathaway road, this morning. Viannia was working around the freight elevator when it came down and struck him on the top of the head, breaking his neck and killing him. Viannia was single and about 20 years of age.

MOSQUITO CROP

IS GROWING AND A FARMER WANTS BUYERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 7.—Those western farmers who make a specialty of breeding wolves and harvesting a big crop of scalps and bounty money every winter should send a letter of congratulation at once to an old gentleman who owns, according to Prof. Smith, state entomologist, one of the most prolific mosquitso ranches in the state of New Jersey. His grange is near Newark.

When the authorities notified him that they were ready to move on his domain and begin hostilities, he said: "I understand that the state has appropriated $10,000 with which to kill mosquitoes, and I'll be darned if ye're goin' to get any of mine unless I get my sheer of the money."

New Jersey has been hit hard since the "public quit buying," and there is danger of her revenue falling below the million mark unless her promoters are kept busy.

It is doubtful, Prof. Smith says, whether her local boards of health have the right to declare pools and other places where mosquitoes breed nuisances and to order their abatement. He and his assistants have no right to enter upon a man's premises if the owner objects.

The professor says the legislature should amend the law next winter so as to empower the boards of health to treat mosquito-breeding places as nuisances.

TEWKSBURY SELECTMEN

WILL ASK NEW ENGLAND PEOPLE FOR AID.

The Tewksbury selectmen will issue an appeal to the people of New England to aid the explosion sufferers. All the papers will be asked to help in the movement and to publish an appeal similar to the one published in the Boston papers.

FUNERALS

MACK—The funeral of Mrs. Mary J., wife of William A. Mack, took place this morning at eleven o'clock from her late home, 93 Mt. Vernon street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Martin, pastor of the Kirk street church, and during the service Mrs. Smith, of the Kirk street church choir, sang several appropriate selections.

The remains were forwarded to Amherst, N. H., for interment on the one o'clock train. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker J. B. Currier.

DEATHS

MISKELL—Thomas F. Miskell, aged 22 years, a well known young man of this city, died this noon at his home, 10 Dartmouth avenue. Besides his mother he leaves five sisters, Mary, Annie, Kate, Sarah, Margaret and two brothers, Patrick and Martin. Funeral notice will appear later.

THE VETS PARADE

Playout of Firemen in Manchester

NOT SO MANY TUBS AS EXPECTED

Some Good Scores Were Made

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 7.—The parade and muster of veteran firemen under the auspices of the three veteran organizations of this city today has been an emphatic success as to the perfection with which every detail of the gathering has been carried out. The number of competing tubs is less than was anticipated but the rivalry has been intense, especially among the local companies. There was a parade of the various companies with their machines in the morning under the marshalship of Thomas W. Lane. This was followed at 1 o'clock by the playout which took place on Merrimack Common.

The following scores were made:
City of Lawrence, 202 ft 4⅝ inches.
Uncle Sam, Manchester, 207 ft., 6 in.
D. A. Taggerts, Goffstown, 198 ft., 6¼ inches.
Neptune, East Manchester, 217 ft., 2½ inches.
Torrent, Manchester, 186 ft., 9½ in.
L. V. Spaulding, Haverhill, 197 ft. 6¼ inches.
Nonantum, out.
Germania, Manchester, 202 ft.

THE WAR GAME

Not Won or Lost as Yet

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 7.—The mimic war in which the combined North Atlantic squadron is engaged off the Maine coast, was progressing satisfactory at noon today. The game had not been won, neither had it been lost, according to information at hand. The enemy is reported as having been sighted by one of Admiral Barker's destroyers off Bar Harbor during the night, but no attempt had been made to establish a basis. It was considered possible that this discovery may have resulted in frustrating the plans of Admiral Sands who might have been contemplating an attack under cover of the fog and darkness of the night. In-coming steamers today reported sighting the defending fleet and in one or two instances it was believed the enemy had been seen off Mt. Desert rock, but this was mere conjecture.

SAW THE SQUADRON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 7.—Captain Cook of the steamer Hilda, which arrived today from Parrsboro, N. S., reported coming in contact twice last night off Bar Harbor, with the North Atlantic squadron, whether the enemy or the defence, he was unable to tell. While passing three miles to the southward of Mt. Desert rock he made out a battleship lying two miles to the north. The Hilda evidently was not noticed. About 10 o'clock when 20 miles to the westward of Mt. Desert rock signals flashed out a short distance away, a white light being waved. The wig-wag motions ceased as there was no response from the Hilda. The outlines of a large warship were made out. Captain Cook believes the Hilda was taken for a torpedo boat destroyer or scout boat because of her low freeboard. The difference in speed probably revealed the mistake.

COWAN IN COURT

HE WAS HELD IN $10,000 BONDS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Joseph Cowan the senior member of the brokerage firm of Joseph Cowan & company, who was arrested yesterday charged by Mrs. Blanche H. Smith of Milwaukee, Wis., with withholding $53,000 which had been deposited with him, was arraigned today. There was no specific charge against Cowan, he being held in $10,000 bail on a short affidavit sworn to by Mrs. Smith. Further examination will be given on Monday. The merits of the case were not gone into at the hearing.

HE CATCHES SNAKES

GRUM USES MEAT AS A BAIT AND HAS BEEN VERY SUCCESSFUL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HEREFORD, Aug. 7—Jacob Grum, near Egleman's dam, has been so molested with snakes that he has invented a wire netting, in which he places meat as bait. In this manner he has been successful in catching 25 large snakes, one of which is a monster rattler. In the cage, or net, the serpents become entangled in the meshes and are easily killed.

HARSHLY USED

Man While Raking His Lawn

WAS THROWN AGAINST A NEIGHBOR'S HOUSE

His Wife and Children Were Hurt

Among the families that suffered personal injuries and property damages by the recent explosion was that of Patrick Harron, 10 Exchange place, off Meadowcroft street.

Mr. Harron was raking his lawn when the explosion occurred and what happened to himself and family is best told in his own words:

"I was busy raking my lawn when the magazines exploded. The rake was knocked from my hands and I was lifted in the air. I don't know how many somersaults I turned, but in coming back to earth, I struck against a neighbor's house and was rendered unconscious for a little while. When I came to I asked somebody to summons a doctor.

"I staggered into the house and found everything in confusion there.

"My wife told me she had been thrown against the mantle piece, the covers were knocked off the stove and the ashes were scattered about the floor.

"The windows were broken and my little girl received 25 distinct cuts on her head from the falling glass. My boy had one knee badly cut.

"I have been ill ever since and the doctor told me that I am injured internally."

CAPTAIN COBB

Tells Story of Sinking of the Florrie

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7.—The Baltimore & Boston barge company's tug Boswell, which had in tow the barge Florrie when she sunk off the New Jersey coast on Wednesday, arrived in Boston today with Captain Cobb of the ill-fated barge on board. Of the seven people who were on the barge, five were lost, Mrs. Cobb, the captain's wife, her ten-year-old son Ormston, Frank Jones, a playmate of the captain's son; "Joe" Cole, the engineer of the barge, and the cook, whose last name is not known. He came from Currituck, N. C., and was always called "William."

The condition of Captain Cobb when the tug reached here was pitiable. He was in pain from injuries to his back, but seemed almost crazed with grief over the loss of his wife and son.

Captain Cobb went almost immediately to the offices of the barge company here, where he was closeted for nearly two hours with Captain Murrill, the president of the company and other officials. He said he was absolutely unable to account for the sinking of the Florrie which was a new boat and was considered in first class condition.

In describing the accident, Captain Cobb said:

"Along about 11 o'clock I noticed that the Florrie was not riding so easily as I thought she ought and I signalled to the tug to slow down. Captain Haley of the tug did slow down and we were going along all right until all of a sudden the barge went down stern first and the engineer, the cook and Mrs. Cobb who were below, had no opportunity to even reach the deck.

"I was in the pilot house forward with Olstein and the two little boys. When I first felt her going down, I made a grab for the whistle to give signals of distress. Before I could do anything, though, the water rushed in. I was standing waist deep in the water pulling at the whistle, when I saw that it was all up and I grabbed hold of my little boy and the Jones boy. I had one in each arm when she went down and tried to hold them up until I could get them a piece of wreckage to hold to, but the sea was rough and I could hardly keep afloat.

"A big wave almost knocked the boys from my grip, until another wave dashed a heavy piece of timber straight against my forehead and the boys were knocked from my grasp. That is the last I saw of them."

"I don't know just what I did next," he went on, "but as I was fighting in the water I was suddenly struck in the back by what turned out to be a hatch-covering. I grabbed hold of it to keep myself afloat and found that Ormston was also clinging to it.

"We clung desperately to the wreck and sometimes it was almost impossible to avoid being washed off, until the tug got round and took us off. I was in the water, I think, for just about half an hour."

THE WEATHER

By Associated Press to The Sun

Fair tonight and Saturday; fresh south to west winds.

GEORGE MARTIN

Judge Hadley Fined Him $200

WITH A SENTENCE OF 3 MONTHS IN JAIL

Another Alleged Vender Was Fined $50

George Martin was given a black eye in police court today. He was charged with illegally keeping and illegal sale of liquor and Judge Hadley sentenced him to pay two fines of $100 each and three months in jail.

According to the testimony of the police officers, Martin has been very vigorous in his persistent violation of the liquor law.

He occupied a tenement over Sam Pike's market in Middlesex street and if the officers told the whole truth, had a "watch out" across the street. The "watch out" was a young fellow, and besides keeping "tabs" on the police he was supposed to solicit trade for Martin and the officers said he was a hard worker.

Martin was doing a purely pocket business and the regular officers could not catch him.

Special Officer Gilbert W. Sheridan was called into the case and he succeeded in buying two pints of whiskey from Martin. That settled it.

Martin had no argument to offer in court today and after putting up a thin-skinned bluff, asked the court in a whisper, to send him to the city farm if he intended to sentence him at all.

Deputy Welch heard Martin's whispered request.

"They'll have to build a 50 foot wall about the farm if he went there. That's the only way they could hold him," said the deputy. The court then pronounced the sentence as herein recorded.

James B. Caswell, charged with keeping and selling liquor was fined $50.

REARDON DISCHARGED

WAS ACCUSED OF ASSAULTING AN OFFICER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 7.—Private Reardon of the 97th U. S. coast artillery, charged with assaulting Police Officer Tobin with a stone two weeks ago, was discharged this morning as the court did not consider the evidence that the officer saw him pick up something after he had been knocked down by the officer in a fight with half a dozen soldiers sufficient to convict the man of actually throwing the stone. The officer appeared in court with his head in bandages.

ARCHBISHOP WILLIAMS

FILES HIS ANSWER IN THE CARR CASE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Aug. 7.—An answer in the case of Carr, executor, v. Archbishop Williams of Boston has been filed. The archbishop generally denies that a conveyance of land and buildings on Robinson street in this city from Mary De Wolfe was secured through undue influence of Rev. Fr. Dennis F. Sullivan and was without consideration.

The case was filed by John M. Barry, attorney for the Roman Catholic archbishop. It replies paragraph by paragraph to the allegations made by Carr, who is executor of the estate.

The defendant admits in his answer that Mary DeWolfe died Oct. 14, 1902, but denies that she left property insufficient to pay her just debts and funeral expenses. He also declares that he had no knowledge of a will of the deceased offered in the probate court.

The defendant denies that the deed from DeWolfe to Sabina W. McDermott was without due consideration. He also denies that Sabina W. McDermott executed a quit claim deed to him without consideration, and claims that the deed from DeWolfe to McDermott was properly and legally executed and delivered.

The defendant denies that the plaintiff, Frank J. Carr, is a creditor of the deceased.

In consideration of these denials, the defendant prays that the bill brought by Carr be dismissed. Ira B. Keith is counsel for the plaintiff and John M. Barry for the defendant. The case will be heard at the fall sitting of the superior court.

Rev. Fr. Dennis F. Sullivan, who is mentioned as having been charged with exerting undue influence in securing the transfer of the property, is rector of the Sacred Heart church.

JESSE GIBSON

BROTHER OF LOWELL MAN DIED IN DERRY, N. H.

Jesse Gibson, brother of James Gibson of this city, died at his home in Derry, N. H., Wednesday evening. Deceased was born in Pelham, N. H., June 10, 1816.

The body was taken to Valley cemetery in Manchester for interment today and a service was held there about 3 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. Charles L. Merriam of the Central Congregational church.

SMALL-POX VICTIM

JAMES KENNEDY DIED AT THE PEST HOUSE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VALLEY FALLS, R. I., Aug. 7—After having been ill of a virulent type of small pox for a week past, James Kennedy died at the pest house here this afternoon. He is survived by a widow and four children, one of whom is seriously afflicted with the pest.

TWO PICKPOCKETS

Sheeney Mike and His Pal in Police Court

Found Guilty of Pocket-Picking on Street Car—Were Continued for Sentence by State Officer Whitney

Joseph Shapiro, better known as "Sheeney Mike" and Salon Yagoda were arraigned in police court this forenoon charged with larceny from the person.

John H. Garfield of Boston was the complainant, and State Officer J. H. Whitney conducted the case for the commonwealth. D. J. Murphy appeared for the defendants.

Shapiro and Yagoda were arrested in Wigginville on Thursday on the charge of having picked Mr. Garfield's pockets.

John H. Garfield was the first witness. He said that he left Lowell for the scene of the explosion at 1.30 on Thursday. The car was crowded and he was standing on the platform. He felt somebody fumbling about his pockets and later discovered that his hip pocket had been picked. He suspected Shapiro and reported his suspicions to the conductor.

"Later," said witness, "Shapiro asked me how much money I lost. I said somewhere in the vicinity of $3, and he, without further conversation, produced a $5 bill and proffered it me."

During the course of his cross-examination Mr. Murphy asked the complainant if he was in the habit of carrying his money in his hip pocket and the complainant said when he had loose bills and change he quite frequently carried it in his hip pocket.

"Seeing that Mr. Murphy has brought out the fact that you have your money in your hip pocket," said Judge Hadley, "you had better keep your hand on it."

Patrick J. Delmage, conductor of the car on which the complainant lost his money, told what he knew of the affair.

He said the defendants acted suspiciously and that they exchanged hats after the complainant had reported the loss of his money.

He said that Shapiro had a large roll of bills. He didn't see anything smaller than a $5 bill in the wad.

Patrick A. Rhodes, of the Massachusetts district police testified.

He arrested Shapiro at the entrance to River street. He found him there disputing with the guards and the arrest was made after he had been informed that Shapiro was wanted for larceny.

He took Shapiro to 7 Roper street, headquarters of the state police during their investigation of the explosion.

Witness said that, when searched at headquarters Shapiro had $17.93 in his possession.

"Shapiro told me," said witness, "that the old man had no kick coming as he had given him back his money. He told me that he found the money on the floor of the car. He said he heard the old man saying that he lost $5 and he returned it to him.

State Officer J. H. Dunham corroborated the testimony of State Officer Rhodes. He said that the defendants said they were being persecuted because they were Jews.

Constable Manley of Tewksbury, who brought the defendants to Lowell, told the court what he knew about the affair. His testimony did not develop anything new and after State Officer Hammond told his story Mr. Whiting said: "That's our case, your honor."

The defendants were sworn and Shapiro took the stand.

He said he came to Boston from New York and was on his way to Lawrence to see his brother-in-law. The latter was not in Lawrence. "And," said Shapiro, "I decided to come to Lowell to see the explosion. I found the $5 bill on the floor of the car. I heard the old man say that he had lost $3.50. I did not want to give the $5 because he had lost only $3.50."

"The conductor came to me and said: 'You damn Sheney if you don't give him the money I will get some fellows to lick you.'

"I told him that I knew a Jew would not have any show with him. He wanted to give the old man $3.50 and keep the rest of the $5 himself.

"I never saw Yagoda before that day and I do not know where he came from. My name is Spiro not Shapiro."

Yagoda said that he came from Boston Thursday afternoon. He left Boston he said, about 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

He denied that he had had any conversation with either the complainant or the conductor.

Mr. Murphy made a somewhat extended and very logical argument in which he asked for the release of Yagoda. Mr. Whitney did not make any argument. He believed the interests of the Commonwealth would be looked after by the court, without any words from him.

The defendants were found guilty and Mr. Whitney asked to have them continued for sentence. They were ordered in $500 each for their appearance before the court on Monday morning, August 10.

Mr. Whitney asked to have them continued because, he said, he believed he could produce a record unfavorable to Yagoda.

SAFELY PILOTED

PORTER GUIDED A TRAIN THROUGH WATER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FLORENCE, Col., Aug. 7.—As the result of heavy rain a wall of water several feet high came running down Hard Scrabble Canon yesterday, carrying away fifty feet of the bridge that spans the creek east of this city.

Previous to this W. A. Watkins, a porter on a Denver and Rio Grande passenger train, piloted the train safely into the yards in this city, walking ahead of it a distance of five miles through water from six inches to two feet deep.

LOWELL COUNCIL, NO. 8

HAD A WELL-ATTENDED MID-SUMMER MEETING.

Lowell council, No. 8, Royal Arcanum, met in regular session last night and transacted a good deal of business. One candidate was initiated and one proposition received.

By unanimous vote the council appropriated $50 for the relief fund of the Wigginville sufferers. It was also voted to procure portraits of the late F. P. Coggeshall and Dr. Augustine Thompson, both of whom are recently deceased.

Captain and Mrs. Wilson, the officers succeeding adjutant and Mrs. Pierce in command of the work of the Salvation army in Lowell, will have their welcome meeting Saturday night at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

BLANCHE WALSH

WELL KNOWN ACTRESS HAS SECURED DIVORCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Blanche Walsh, the actress, has secured a divorce from Alfred Hickman, to whom she was married in 1896. The final decree was signed yesterday by Justice Dugro.

The actress is now 30 years of age, and thirsts for new worlds to conquer now she is free again. She is studying to appear in some of the new plays, and with Miss Walsh this means the conquering of a part in a few hours. Her memory is wonderful, so that a long part and the most difficult role is mastered by her in a few days.

Miss Walsh is considered one of the most graceful women on the stage today. She is one of the very few actresses whose charms, cast in "beauty's mold," have been permitted to stay "where nature placed them."

LEFT A FORTUNE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 7.—The estate of the late Joseph T. Whittlesey, the father of Connecticut golf, former member of the National Tennis association, inventories $400,000. Mr. Whittlesey died recently at Newport News, Va., while on a pleasure trip there. He was a graduate of Yale in 1867. Over $200,000 of the property will go to the eldest daughter, who is professor of political economy at Wellesley college. The residue goes to his other daughter.

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THE SUN LATEST 5 O'CLOCK

THE COUNTY JAIL

Denounced as a Great Danger

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—"The most disgraceful thing that exists in this country in the name of law and civilization is the county jail. Idleness and bad associations make crime and at public cost we are maintaining free schools of crime in every county in the United States."

The arraignment of the penal institutions of congress was given by Dr. Charles W. Henderson at the University of Chicago, last night, at the conclusion of a lecture upon modern prison systems. Prof. Henderson recently retired as president of the National Prison and since he has made a special study of crime and criminals and has issued several books upon the subject.

"There is no necessity for the jail system," he said. "In Europe prisoners are kept in separate cells until they are tried. Here we herd criminals together and it is a well established fact that many criminals find jail life keen delight in teaching to their less experienced companions the accomplishments of criminal practice. That such a condition should be permitted to exist is a shame and disgrace to the entire country."

CASEY POURS THE DRINKS.

A FUNNY CATCH

DICK CASEY AN E. Z. MARK FOR SEIZURE OFFICERS.

Dick Casey, bar tender, wrestler and all 'round sport, has learned to his sorrow that no matter how well you know a policeman, you should never trust him.

Liquor Officers Duncan and Grady called at the saloon formerly kept by Casey & Kearns under Urban hall, City Hall avenue, Wednesday evening, and Casey proved himself the easiest that ever happened.

"Good evening, Mr. Casey," said Duncan.

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"Hello, Dick," said Grady.

"Hello, William," said Casey.

"Have you any half-stock?" asked Duncan.

Casey smiled and said he had just sold the last bottle.

That was joke number one in favor of Casey.

"Have you any good whiskey?" asked Duncan.

"Sure thing," said Casey.

"Let us have a little," said Duncan.

Billy Grady smiled. It seemed to him like a great big joke.

Casey happened to have a taste of the ardent in a bottle, just for particular friends, and regarding the two officers as his friends he poured out two drinks.

Duncan drank half of his but Grady, who is a total abstainer, shuddered and lost track of his breath.

"I guess we will have to take this along with us," said Duncan.

Casey laughed. He didn't think the officer meant it; but it was joke number two and Casey was all to the bad.

The officers stalked out of the saloon with their glasses, while Dick, after collecting his scattered senses, realized that he was caught.

When Brown heard what Duncan and Grady did, he said:

"I've found it waiting on ice for me, but I haven't found anybody d—— fool enough to pass it over the bar like Casey."

CURRENCY BILL

Will Not be Drafted Until Monday

ARRIVAL OF SEN. SPOONER AWAITED

Conservative Action Will be Taken

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 7—The members of the sub-committee of the senate finance committee who are gathering at the country house of Senator Nelson W. Aldrich on Warwick Neck will, in all probability, not commence the work of drafting a currency measure to be presented at the coming extra session of congress before Monday next, awaiting the arrival of Senator Spooner of Wisconsin. Senator Aldrich, who is chairman of the sub-committee, composed of four members, is entertaining Senators Allison of Iowa and Platt of Connecticut. It is expected that the committee will be made complete tomorrow or Sunday by the arrival of Senator Spooner.

It has been explained by Senator Aldrich that the immediate object which the subcommittee have in view is the framing of a bill, which, after being formally submitted to the full finance committee, will be presented to the senate on the first day of the extra session of congress, to be convened according to the president's previously announced purpose, on the 9th day of November, immediately after the fall election. No bill has yet been drawn, even in the rough; and Senator Aldrich and his colleagues are naturally unable to make at this time any official announcement of details not yet determined upon.

It is already an open secret, however, that the committee is desirous of embodying in the measure that it intends to present the principal features of the Aldrich bill, which failed in the senate at the last regular session.

In general, it may be stated unreservedly that whatever action the committee may take in the direction of remedying treasury conditions will be conservative.

The committee does not trace the present demoralization of the stock market to defects in the currency situation. The present shrinkage in values is attributed by Senator Aldrich and his colleagues to an inevitable reaction from the inflated values that have heretofore prevailed, and is not in their opinion to be remedied by any tinkering with the currency system of the country at large. The committee therefore wishes to avoid any action designed to meet only present and temporary conditions.

HOW IT HAPPENED

Fight Between Mayor and Committee Explained

HIS HONOR CHANGED HIS ATTITUDE

After Secretary Cheney Appeared Before Committee

Followers of City Hall affairs are watching with interest the outcome of the difference of opinion between the mayor and the committee on accounts, which came out yesterday when His Honor wrote the committee declining to appear before them in explanation of a bill contracted by him for the firing of salutes on July 4 and published in full in another column.

The mayor's action is without precedent while as to the authority of the committee on accounts to hold up a bill contracted by the mayor, in Mayor Courtney's time the salary of his private secretary was held up for several months by the committee and the mayor could do nothing about it.

The facts leading up to the letter of yesterday which have not been previously published are these: Mayor Howe after approving the appointment of committees of public baths and contagious disease hospital declined to sanction the expense of a tour of inspection by these committees, which were voted by the latter as the best means toward making a satisfactory report back to the city council. His Honor informed the committee that the city was too poor to allow the expenditure of money for any trips by committees. The members of the committees protested that His Honor having approved the appointment of the committees should allow them to get information for an intelligent report back to the city council but His Honor was immovable and neither committee went out of Lowell.

When at the last meeting of the committee on accounts a bill was received with the mayor's sanction for salutes fired on July 4, the members thought that if the city was too poor to afford the expenses of the committee in making its report, it was too poor to spend $128 for salutes without some good reasons and accordingly the mayor was called up on the telephone and asked to appear before the committee.

His Honor, the members state, agreed to meet the committee at one o'clock and incidentally stated that if the committee would not approve the bill he would pay it himself.

A short time afterward Private Secretary Cheney appeared before the committee and gave his views of the matter which were not acceptable to committee as the latter desired to hear from the mayor personally. Mr. Cheney left and after his departure, according to the committee the mayor underwent a change of front and informed the committee that he did not know when he would see them and they adjourned without having the audience with him. Then came the letter which has been published and the next step will be to consult the city solicitor and see who is right in the matter. The committee claims it is right and will hold up the bill until after the mayor has explained his action to them after which undoubtedly they will approve it. Meanwhile the committee feels most kindly disposed toward Private Secretary Cheney.

IMMENSE DOME

ON THE WORLD'S FAIR FESTIVAL HALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 7.—The plans and specifications of the world's fair festival hall, which is to stand at the head of the main arcade on Art hill, have been given to the contractors. The feature of the hall is the sculpture crown of the immense dome, 260 feet high which is planned to be larger than that of St. Peter's in Rome. The auditorium in the interior will be 112 feet high from the floor of the theatre to the summit of the dome. The proscenium arch of the stage has a span of 93 feet 4 inches, one of the largest in the country and is 54 feet deep.

BROKER RICKS FAILED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7.—Arthur George Ricks, a small stock broker, failed today.

FISH PIRATES

HAVE INAUGURATED A REIGN OF TERROR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 7—Fish pirates have inaugurated a reign of terror on the lower Sound waters. Their boldness is unprecendented. Repeatedly when bribery had failed they have held up keepers of fish traps at the point of a gun and rifled the nets. As much as $2000 worth of fish has been taken at a single haul.

At the request of the receiver of the Pacific Packing & Navigation company, Judge Hanford of the federal court has requested that sufficient deputy marshals be sent to the lower Sound to protect the fisheries.

ARTILLERYMEN DESERT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7—Thirty-five of the 240 artillery men ordered out two weeks ago on a march of 180 miles to Camp Douglas, Wis., have deserted according to reports received at Fort Sheridan.

ROMANCE OF WAR

FORMER GUNNER MARRIED TO AMERICAN WIDOW.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7—A romance began during the boxer uprising in China has just culminated in the marriage in Chicago of Philip Herbert, former gunner of the navy, and Mrs. Pearl Seaman, the American widow of a Shan merchant.

Gunner Herbert served on the Olympia in the battle of Manila and afterwards served in Chinese waters during the boxer uprising. While on shore leave one night he encountered an overturned palanquin in one of Shan's narrow streets. The occupant was pinioned beneath the vehicle and was screaming for help, while the bearers fought to keep off a dozen Chinese clamoring for blood of "foreign devils." A few blows drove them away and Herbert carried her several blocks to safety.

The gunner returned to his ship, but when he left Shanghai he carried with him the heart of the young widow and a promise that she would become his wife at the expiration of his enlistment.

The sailor was honorably discharged in February. He was notified later that he had become heir to $20,000.

SIR JAMES HECTOR

AMONG THE ARRIVALS AT VICTORIA, B. C.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 7—Among the passengers on the steamer Aorangi from Australia was Sir James Hector, director of the geological survey of New Zealand. He is the discoverer of Kicking Horse pass, which the Canadian Pacific uses to enter British Columbia through the Rockies. This pass was found in 1857 and was named in connection with an incident wherein Sir James was kicked by a horse and narrowly escaped death.

POPE'S BLESSING

Sent Through Card. Gibbons to Americans

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 7.—Cardinal Gibbons was received by the pope today in private audience. In a lengthy conversation Pius X renewed his expressions of interest in America, already made manifest by his reception Wednesday to the pilgrims from the United States. The pope said he should like to have had the cardinal remain in Rome for some time, in order that he might become thoroughly acquainted with all questions relative to the United States, but his holiness did not insist, being aware, he said, of the cardinal's delicate state of health and his suffering from hot weather.

In closing the audience the pontiff charged Cardinal Gibbons to carry the apostolic benediction to all the faithful of America.

After his private audience, Cardinal Gibbons presented to the pope, Rev. Dennis R. O'Connell, rector and Father Charles P. Grannan, professor of theology at the Catholic university at Washington, and Father P. C. Gavan, the cardinal's secretary. The pope spoke most affably to each and said to Rector O'Connell that he knew the importance of the Catholic university at Washington and would do all possible to further its interests and prestige.

To Father Grannan the pontiff remarked that he had seen some of his work, especially on biblical questions, while to Father Gavan he said smiling that he had noticed him in the conclave.

Cardinal Gibbons is somewhat indisposed, the weather having become intensely hot, still he has been able to visit the churches of St. Peter and St. Paul, which with yesterday's visit to Santa Maria di Trastevere, was obligatory during his visit, which he must make every ten years.

THREE KILLED

In Attack on Workmen by Cossacks

By Associated Press to The Sun

KIEFF, Russia, Aug. 7.—Three workmen were killed and 23 were wounded yesterday when the Cossacks fired on and charged the strikers who were attempting to interfere with railroad traffic. The rioters numbered 2000. A magistrate, an officer and several soldiers, were injured by stones.

SUBSCRIPTION PAPER

MEMBERS OF COMMON COUNCIL RAISING MONEY FOR GLOUCESTER BLOW-OUT.

The finance committee of the Gloucester celebration, consisting of Councilman Cecil L. Adams as chairman and Alderman C. H. Molloy and Councilman Donohoe, held a meeting at city hall this morning.

Councilman Adams is circulating a paper, collecting subscriptions for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the proposed visit of the Gloucester city government on next Wednesday.

The celebration committee will hold a meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

SOME OPPOSITION

TO RENEWAL OF TRANSPORTATION OF CONVICTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 7.—Mail advices received by the steamer Aorangi state that there is a strong adverse comment in New Caledonia regarding the proposed renewal of transportation of convicts to the islands.

Sir Henry Moore Jackson, high commissioner of Great Britain, was refused a landing at Tonga on arriving there on H. M. S. Pleiades. The warship had gone to Tonga from Fiji and measles being epidemic, the local authorities refused the commissioner a landing. The British consul was at the time roughly handled by a sentry when requesting permission to allow the commissioner ashore. For this an apology was given by the king.

A rich gold discovery has been made in Tunt district, Australia. There has been a big stampede.

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Y. M. C. I. of Lowell.
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EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

FLEET SIGHTED

Rear Admiral Sands' Fighters Seen Off Bar Harbor

By Associated Press to The Sun

BAR HARBOR, Me., Aug. 7.—The presence of the "hostile" fleet under Rear Admiral Sands off Bar Harbor last night, was reported today by a despatch boat which came in for the mail. The enemy was discovered by a torpedo boat destroyer while patroling and was reported to Admiral Barker on the flagship Kearsarge. No further information was available.

This would seem to bear out the reports that the defending fleet has remained off Mt. Desert rock 27 miles from here, in anticipation of an attack on this section of the Maine coast or an attempt to establish a basis.

Not a superior force is at hand, but the entrance to Frenchman's Bay is being carefully guarded. The schoolships Hartford and Chesapeake are patroling between Schoodic point and Baker's island, three miles outside Egg Rock lighthouse, thus commanding the entrance to the bay about seven miles in width. It would seem difficult for the White or attacking squadron to secure an anchorage and maintain a basis for five hours with the superior force under Rear Admiral Barker so near at hand. However, this may be possible under cover of darkness and the thick weather prevailing.

SAW A WARSHIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me., Aug. 7.—The schooner Penobscot, Captain Johnson, arriving today from the Georges banks, reported that at 2 a. m., when about eight miles southeast of Seguin a large vessel, evidently a warship, and a smaller craft were sighted two miles distant going toward the eastward.

GOOD HIDING PLACES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCKLAND, Me., Aug. 7—The weather today was thick and foggy and if this condition continues the enemy will have a fine opportunity to make an attack in this vicinity at night. Fine hiding places are afforded near this harbor, the most intricate being between Hurricane island and Vinal Haven. These points were guarded today by four of the torpedo boat destroyers, one of which was off Owl's Head this morning.

The watchers at the Lane Island signal station late Thursday saw a fleet far off on the horizon to the eastward and it was thought it was a portion of the hostile fleet. The vessels disappeared upon sighting vessels going to the eastward.

SEEKING REFUGE

Armenians Rushing to the Mountains

EARLY OUTBREAK OF BULGARIAN REVOLUTION

Leaders Disconcerted by Authorities' Plans

RAILROADS ASK FOR 20,000 MORE TROOPS

Request Will Have to be Refused

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Thursday, Aug 6.—News received here as to the extent of Bulgarian revolutionary movements in the village of Monastir is conflicting. In consular despatches from Monastir which were received this morning the opinion is expressed that the insurrection broke out a fortnight earlier than its chiefs intended and before the bands were in readiness, presumably because the leaders were disconcerted by the active preventive measures adopted by the authorities.

The Bulgarian inhabitants in a number of villages have fled to the mountains for refuge. The railways have asked that the troops guarding the lines be quadrupled but this would entail the employement of 20,000 soldiers and in view of the impoverished treasury, the government will find it difficult to comply with the request.

In spite of reports to the contrary, it is confidently believed in well-informed quarters that the porte in conformity with its formal declarations, will employ only regular troops to suppress the insurrection, as it is well aware how important it is for Turkey to avoid excesses such as certainly would be the outcome of the employment of the undisciplined Albanians or other irregular soldiery. The diplomats here entertain no doubt that the porte will continue its present policy of fighting the bands with regulars.

Of the eight battalions of infantry dispatched to Monastir, four will remain at that place, three will occupy the heights of Perister to the westward of Monastir and one will go to Florina, a town of 11,000 inhabitants 17 miles southwest of Monastir.

The porte has sent categorical instructions to the valis of the Armenian provinces of Asia Minor, holding them personally responsible for any Kurdish excess and ordering vigorous measures to be taken to prevent fighting. The British vice consul at Bitlis has been ordered to proceed to Musch, 80 miles south of Easurum, where the Armenian massacres of Kurds and Turks occurred in 1894 to investigate the situation there.

A consular dispatch from Easurum received this morning says the excitement in that district is quieting down, but that the vali of Easurum reports that 600 armed Huitchakists from Russian territory have compelled the Armenians in the villages of Sassum vilayet (also the scene of Armenian massacres in 1894) to take refuge in the mountains. The vali has sent four battalions of troops against the Huitchakists who escaped to the mountains. The Porte has communicated this information to the Russian embassy, calling attention to the fact that the bands came from Russian territory.

POLICE PUZZLED

THREE NEGROES ARE HELD ON SUSPICION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—A coroner's physician who performed an autopsy upon the body of the unidentified man found Tuesday in the Harlem river with cuts upon his head, announces that the victim died from drowning and that he found no evidence of violence and no poison in the stomach. Three negroes are being held by the police on the confession of one that the man was given whiskey containing snuff, and then murdered and robbed. The authorities are somewhat at a loss as to what shall be done. The general opinion is that the negro who confessed to the murder told a falsehood.

FELL EIGHT FEET

SLACK WIRE WALKER NOT SERIOUSLY HURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—Franke Reege, 17 years of age, who has been one of the attractions at a fireworks display at Monroe street and Fortieth avenue, fell 80 feet last night in the sight of 11,000 people, as a result of an accident to the slack wire on which he was performing. The force of his fall was broken by a small staging that held fireworks under the wire and the boy is said to be not seriously hurt.

CONVICT CAPTURED

BULLET WOUNDS IN BOTH OF HIS LEGS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

AUBURN, Calif., Aug. 7.—Albert Seavis, colored, one of the three convicts who escaped from Folsom prison, is in jail here with bullet wounds in both of his legs. He was captured last night when the train came in from New Castle. Sheriff Keena had received word that he was aboard and when the train stopped Keena and Deputy Sheriff Cowan were at the depot. The negro was called upon to surrender, and he immediately opened fire, but Keena and Cowan were the first to score.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., Aug. 7.—The Home Riverside Coal company of Leavenworth has filed a petition in bankruptcy. The company has been involved in litigation for months. It is capitalized at $1,000,000.

ZABER ARRESTED

HE IS CHARGED WITH STEALING TOOLS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAWRENCE, Aug. 7.—John Zaber was arrested in a pawnshop yesterday trying to dispose of a bag of tools which had been left in a train by Edward C. Burke, who was on his way to this city from Ballardvale. He left the train at South Lawrence for a moment, and when he returned the tools were gone.

FINANCIAL TROUBLES

CAUSED WILLIAM SHAPPIOT TO COMMIT SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col. Aug. 7.—William G. Shappiot, for eight years one of the most prominent men in the real estate men here, has committed suicide by shooting. His wife found a note after he left home which told her that he intended to kill himself upon reaching his office, because of financial difficulties. She notified the police immediately, but they arrived at the office five minutes too late.

CHILDREN DROWNED

WHILE PLAYING WITH EXPRESS WAGON IN A CREEK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Two children about 7 years old have been drowned while playing with an express wagon in Cromwell creek near their home in the Bronx. One was the son of Fire Chief Campbell, retired.

PERSONALS

Rev. Fr. P. Omer Plourde, O. M. I., a former Lowell boy, who was ordained a priest June 4 at Ottawa by Mgr. Duhamel, was a visitor at St. Joseph's rectory yesterday, the first time since his ordination.

Two new members were admitted at last evening's regular assembly into the Club Social de Pawtucketville, which grows daily more popular among the residents of the locality.

The members of the Club Passe Temps will have a whist contest at the club rooms next Wednesday, to be fought between two teams composed of the married and single members of the organization, respectively.

The engagement is announced of Edward L. Murphy, a reporter for the Mail-News, and Miss Harriet Griffin.

Mrs. Charles Cashin, accompanied by their son Lutie, is spending the vacation at her former home in Montreal, Canada.

Miss Ruth B. Henry of Beacon street, is enjoying a short vacation with friends in Amesbury, her former home.

The pastor of the Wesley church, Rev. J. H. Irvine, has returned from a stay at the Douglass Camp Ground.

Miss Margaret Haun of Norwich, Conn., has been a guest of Mrs. James Craig for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clifton and daughter of Twelfth street are at Ocean Park, Me., for two weeks.

Miss Florence Leavitt of Lakeport, N. H., has recently been the guest of Cyrus W. Johnson of Wachusett street. She will visit Lawrence and then go to her summer home, Weirs, N. H.

Mr. Guy Irving and Miss Molly Johnson have recently returned from a month's stay with Judge Walter J. Peaslee of Laconia.

Ernest L. Marshall of Midland street leaves tomorrow for a three months' vacation in California.

Dr. M. A. Morris of Savannah, Ga., is spending a few weeks with his parents at Dracut Centre.

Mr. J. E. Coxton of 41 Midland street is spending his two weeks' vacation at the Moose Spring farm, East Gray, Me.

Miss Jenny Lind Power of Elmira, N. Y., is visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Lamson on West Sixth street.

Mr. John F. Quigley, a popular employe of the Harvard Brewery, spent last Sunday at Jug Island.

Miss Annie T. Coleman, the popular bookkeeper at Mr. Coleman's grocery store, Pleasant street, is enjoying the sea breezes at Crescent beach.

Mrs. Edward Rigney and daughter, Evelyn of Moore street have left for Montreal to visit her parents. Later they will be the guests of Mrs. Montique Allen at her summer home at Cacuona.

Assistant City Clerk and Mrs. Wm. P. McCarthy are making their headquarters at Salem, with Mrs. McCarthy's parents, while taking several short trips to neighboring beaches during their vacation.

A surprise party was given to Miss Emma Desforge at her home, 76 Lilley avenue, Wednesday night. A fitting address was rendered and she was presented with a gold watch, pin and necklace by Miss Alexina Daigneault, on behalf of the First Baptist church where she was organist. A pleasant evening was enjoyed and great musical talent was shown. Light refreshments were served, D. L. Page catering.

Mrs. B. F. Henry and son Paul and Miss Julia B. Riordan are at the "Pilot house," Portsmouth, N. H., the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Clarkson.

Misses Carrie and Frances Cunningham of Rogers street left yesterday for Frontier, N. Y., where they will spend the next six weeks, the guests of their sister, Mrs. J. C. O'Neil.

Mr. Joseph Duffy, formerly of the Lowell Daily News, has accepted a position on the Boston & Northern street railroad as conductor on the Woburn and Medford branch.

Mrs. George D. Ryan and Miss Lena A. and Master Walter have returned from a week's camping at camp 1090, Riverhurst, being entertained during their stay by Mr. and Mrs. George Rigby. Fishing and boating was enjoyed.

MABEL McKINLEY RETIRES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—A dispatch from Los Angeles says:

The engagement of Mabel McKinley which closed at the Orpheum here last Sunday night, was her last appear in vaudeville, owing to the objections of her family.

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CONVICTS PLAN

To Assassinate Officials of Reformatory

By Associated Press to The Sun

ELMIRA, N. Y., Aug. 7.—There is every indication that the shooting of James H. Gunderman, keeper of the Elmira reformatory by Brooks, a convict from New York at that institution Wednesday came about through the miscarriage of a convicts' plan to assassinate the general superintendent Frank W. Roberston and his assistant, McDonald. The investigation has unearthed an elaborate plot.

A month ago the storeroom was robbed during lunch hour. Many weapons were stolen and since then officials of the reformatory have lived a life of terror, knowing the stolen articles were in the hands of the inmates.

The strain was beginning to tell on the officers and Supt. Robertson was on the verge of breaking down when Brooks shot and seriously wounded Gunderman and the plot was unearthed. Under pressure Brooks made a confession that the weapons were stolen by the inmates and hidden in a brick pile preparatory for a general sault on the keepers.

Supt. Robertson was expected out in the ward in the afternoon and he was to be shot at a given signal and the other officials assaulted. The conspirators are now in solitary confinement.

DEAD IN BED

TWO SISTERS ASPHYXIATED BY ILLUMINATING GAS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 7.—Fannie and Mary Dick, sisters, aged 18 and 13 years respectively, were found dead in bed at their home in this city today. They had been asphyxiated by illuminating gas which had escaped from an imperfect gas jet.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY

MESSAGES SENT A DISTANCE OF 150 MILES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 7.—The first practical test overland of the Deforest wireless telegraph has been made here. Signals were received from Buffalo, a distance of 150 miles direct, three fourths of this distance being overland.

The experiments extended over a period of several hours, thte communications received consisted of copper and the wireless code messages.

No attempt was made at sending replies, the sending apparatus not being as yet properly adjusted.

ONE WIFE TOO MANY

PROVIDENCE MAN GETS INTO TROUBLE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 7.—As a result of having contracted two marriages without the formality of a divorce, Willard T. Edwards was arraigned before Judge Rueckert in the sixth district court yesterday morning, charged with bigamy.

He admitted that he married a second wife while his first wife was living, but stated that he thought she had obtained a divorce from him.

He pleaded guilty, was adjudged probably guilty and was bound over to the common pleas division of the supreme court in the sum of $1000.

According to the records, Edwards, or Taber, married at East Providence in 1893, Miss Mabel S. Pease, the police say, giving his name as William E. Taber. He lived with his wife for three or four years and then left home, ostensibly to look for work.

In 1899 he married Margaret E. Mank of this city. The police say that he told her that he had been married before, but that his wife and child were dead. He was married the second time under the name of William T. Edwards.

It is said that one child resulted from the first marriage, but there are none from the second.

SENATOR GEORGE DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WELLSBORO, W. Va., Aug. 7.—Samuel George, banker, capitalist and member of the state senate, is dead here at the age of 76 years. He was one of the most prominent men in the West Virginia Pan-Handle.

SCORED 387 RUNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The Philadelphians this morning concluded their first innings in the cricket match against the Surrey Country eleven with a score of 387 runs. They added only 39 runs today for the remaining three wickets, their overnight score when stumps were being drawn being 348 runs for the loss of seven wickets.

Surrey began their first innings with a poor showing against the Philadelphian bowlers and at lunch time had lost six wickets for only 81 runs.

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Men's Jersey Ribbed, Tan Color, Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 33c, worth 50c.
Boys' Fancy Shirts, with detached collars, 25c, worth 40c.
Men's Fancy Shirts, 75c and 50c patterns, 25c.
Men's Fancy Madras Shirts, separate cuffs, 33c, worth 50c.
Men's Fancy Balbriggan Underwear, 17c, worth 35c.

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MAY NOT RECOVER

Mrs. Dumont's Heart Affected by Shock

Day by day new evidence of the awful results of the Riverside park explosion are coming to light.

Among the callers at The Sun office today was Mr. Savaire Dumas of 2 Clifton street, whose house and furniture were destroyed by the explosion. Mr. Dumas has been employed in the Kitson machine shop for the past 24 years. He is the father of eight children, only one of whom, an 18-year-old daughter, is able to work. His wife has been troubled with a weak heart, while the shock of the explosion caused her complete collapse and her recovery is still in doubt, the physicians stating that the slightest shock will kill her.

Mr. Dumas' cottage house represented the savings of 20 years and it will have to be entirely rebuilt.

GOING TO EUROPE.

The following Lowell people were booked through Murphy's steamship agency to sail from Boston yesterday on the Dominion line steamer New England for Queenstown and Liverpool: Miss Theresa Sullivan, Mr. Edwin J. Otley, Mrs. Annie Doran, Leonard Doran, John J. Donnelly, Miss Maria Mitchell, Miss Margaret Mitchell and Mrs. Jane Allen.

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FUNERALS

UNDERHILL—The funeral of Ervin Underhill, formerly a resident of this city, occurred yesterday afternoon. The body was forwarded from Boxford, Mass., where he died, August 3, aged 71 years.

Delegations from Wannalancit Encampment and Highland lodge, I. O. O. F., received the body at the depot, and escorted it to Highland M. E. church where funeral services were held, Rev. James F. Allen officiating.

A quartette, Geo. F. Sturtevant, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Geo. E. Burns, and Frank Murphy, sang "Lead Kindly Light," "Nearer, My God, to Thee," "My Heavenly Home." Deceased was an organizer and trustee of the Highland M. E. church. After the services at the church the body was taken to the Edson cemetery, followed by the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, where the ritual of the order was performed by Col. M. D. Brown and Chaplain I. B. Romaine.

Mrs. E. S. Kittredge, Mrs. H. W. Burton, Mrs. Etta M. Locke, Mrs. I. Hazeltine represented Highland lodge, D. of R., and H. W. Mitchell, Thomas E. Boucher, S. H. Foster, A. L. Corliss, Oscar Forsburg, James T. Trask, represented the encampment, while R. S. Curran, E. D. Hill and A. D. Mitten represented Highland lodge, I. O. O. F.

The bearers were Thomas E. Boucher, S. H. Foster, Oscar Forsberg, R. S. Curran, E. D. Hill and A. D. Mitten, Mr. R. O. Adams had charge of the funeral arrangements.

CRONAN—The body of Mary Cronan was forwarded to Orwell, Vt., last evening at 6.42 o'clock for burial by Undertaker Savage.

CARROLL—The funeral of Jane Carroll took place yesterday afternoon from Undertaker Young's warerooms. Services were conducted by Rev. Smith T. Ford of First Baptist church. Burial was in Edson cemetery.

McCORT—The remains of the late Michael McCort were consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral which was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased took place from his late home, 397 Worthen street, at 8.30 o'clock, and proceeded to St. Patrick's church in Suffolk street where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Fr. Callahan. The choir under the direction of Mr. Fred G. Bond sang the Gregorian mass and Mr. Michael J. Johnson presided at the organ. At the offertory Miss Mollie G. Ivers rendered "Pie Jesu" and at the conclusion of the service Mr. Bond sang "Come Unto Me." As the remains were leaving the church the choir sang "De Profundis."

Among the many floral offerings in evidence the following were the most prominent: Large pillow, bearing the inscription "Father," from the family of the deceased; wreath of galax leaves, inscribed "Brother," from the sisters of the deceased; crescent and star on base, inscribed "At Rest," Mr. Fred H. Rourke; broken lyre on base, employes of the Lowell Machine shop, where the deceased was employed; wreath, Misses Nolan and Carleton; spray, Misses McCarthy and Page; spray, Mrs. Patrick Rourke; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hyde; spray, Mrs. William H. Landers; spray of palms and asters, John Lonergan; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Ginty; spray, John and Kittie Queenan; spray of palms and asters, Mrs. B. Crane and a wreath of ivy from a friend.

The bearers were Messrs. Cornelius Daly, William P. Foye, Phillip Ginty, Simon Flynn, John J. O'Brien, William Dowling and John Hart.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Callahan. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

KEARNS—The body of Daniel Leo Kearns was sent to New Bedford for interment this morning on the 7.10 train by Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

DEATHS

FLOOD—Elizabeth P. Flood, aged 62 years, died suddenly at Hampton beach Wednesday evening, where she was spending a vacation with her husband and daughter. She was a resident of St. Michael's parish for many years and resided at 34 West Third street. The remains were brought to this city by J. F. O'Donnell & Sons last night and removed to her late home, 34 West Third street. She is survived by a husband, Edward, one daughter, Mrs. John H. Burke, and one son, Charles E. Flood. Funeral will take place from her late home at 8.15 o'clock Saturday morning. Mass at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock.

LUCIER—Miss Lea Lucier, daughter of Mrs. J. Lucier of 76 Salem street, died yesterday at her mother's residence at the age of 32 years and 7 months. She leaves besides her mother, two sisters, Mrs. F. Roy of Plattsburg, N. Y., and Miss Virginie Lucier of this city; and five brothers, Messrs. Amedee, Regis, Avila and Ephrem Lucier, all of Lowell, and Mr. Dolphis Lucier of Napierville, Que.

PHILBRICK—Mrs. Sarah E., wife of Captain Philbrick of 339 Walker street, died yestesday at her home, aged 62 years. Besides her husband she is survived by two daughters, Misses Amy and Carrie Philbrick, and one brother, James Y. Webster of Sandwich, N. H.

KEARNS—Daniel Leo Kearns, aged 9 months, son of Michael and Annie, died yesterday at the home of his parents, rear 228 Market street.

FLYNN—William A. Flynn, aged 6 months, child of John F. and Mary, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 223 Adams street.

BENNETT—Thomas Bennett, aged 53 years and 11 months, died yesterday at his late home in Fowler avenue, Pawtucketville.

DOUGLASS—Raymond A. Douglass, aged six months, child of Martin and Charlotte, died this morning at the home of his parents, 159 Mt. Hope street, Pawtucketville.

GILL—Mary E. Gill, aged 21 years, died last night at the home of her parents, Peter and Ellen Gill, 223 Lincoln street.

BODY NOT RECOVERED.

Undertaker C. H. Molloy's assitants are still searching for the body of William H. McDonald who was drowned while in bathing at Tyngs island yesterday afternoon, but up to the present time have not located it.

NOTICE.

Will passengers who saw the trouble between the conductor and passenger on the car which left Lawrence, Saturday, Aug. 1, at 8 p. m., call at room 7, Central block.

EAGLES' OUTING.

The second annual outing of Lawrence aerie, 216, Fraternal Order of Eagles, was held at Wingate's farm, Haverhill road, yesterday afternoon, and for enjoyment and an all around good time it remains to be surpassed. Besides the Lawrence members of the order, Eagles from Lynn, Haverhill and Lowell attended and joined in making the event a most enjoyable one.

NEEDLE IN THUMB.

Phoebe B. Crabb, residing at 667 Merrimack street, while washing a floor this morning ran half a needle into her right thumb. She was taken to the Emergency hospital, where the needle was extracted.

Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system or despondency invariably precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nervine will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It also a great Stomach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by F. C. Goodale, druggist.

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Will be Established in Merrimack Square Today

Mayor Howe Acts on The Sun's Suggestion — Many Officials at Relief Depot—Contributions of Clothing Received — Committee Should Repair Buildings at Once

Mayor Howe has taken up The Sun's suggestion that a contribution box be placed in Merrimack square and notified this office yesterday that he would attend to the matter right away. The box will probably be placed on a pole in front of Carter & Sherburne's store.

The relief depot was opened in the Free church, 150 Middlesex street, yesterday and is now ready for business.

The depot is open from 9 to 12 and from 2 to 4 o'clock, when consultations may be had regarding relief with Rev. Mr. Wright or his assistant, Mr. Favor. Identification cards may be obtained from Mr. A. C. Blaisdell, chairman of the selectmen of Tewksbury, at his residence or from his assistants.

Contributions of clothing or bedding were received in the afternoon from Mrs. A. C. Parsons, W. A. Bishop, Mrs. Charles W. Taylor and several others. The committee wants it understood that it does not want cast-off clothing but wearing apparel suitable for people who lost good clothing of their own by the explosion and fire.

The Sun would suggest that the committee change the hours of attendance at the relief depot, as it has knowledge of the fact that 9 to 12 and 2 to 4, while convenient, perhaps for the kind-hearted people who are attending to the relief work, are not at all convenient for those to be relieved. As an instance we quote the case of a woman, the mother of six children, who is employed in the carpet mill. She asked out this morning for 15 minutes to run over to this office to make known her loss. Her only opportunity to visit the relief depot is during the noon hour and after 6 o'clock in the evening. The relief depot is closed during the noon hour and after 4 in the afternoon. This is but one case among several and The Sun would suggest that the depot be kept open during the noon hour and for an hour in the evening.

RELIEF FUND GROWING.

The relief fund is growing steadily and shows over $10,000, and the committee should begin its distribution in certain quarters at once and not wait until the fund has been completed.

As is well known many chimneys have been blown off the houses in the vicinity so that it has been impossible to light fires in them and holes have been punctured in the roofs and side walls. Then came the cold, damp rainy weather in the wake of the disaster, leaving many a family without an opportunity to cook proper food and without protection from the elements.

As a result some families have been existing on sandwiches and coffee since the explosion and at times there has been a scarcity of these. Furthermore, the residents, particularly the children, in these houses with perforated roofs and walls, have caught cold and many have been threatened with more serious ailments.

The committee should engage a large corps of carpenters and brick masons without loss of time to go into the devastated district and make these small but imperative repairs at once. Then it should send a committee of women, who can do the work better than men, to provide for the domestic needs of the families. Some agent of the relief work should drive through the stricken district every day to ascertain their needs and provide relief as soon as possible.

Previously acknowledged	$9565.23
Boston Contributions	514.00
From Boxes Monday	57.30
Heirs of Maria T. Stevens	50.00
Fifth Street Baptist Church	40.00
Boxes, third collection	33.48
H. S. Bunting Co.	25.00
Ladd & Whitney Post, 155, G. A. R.	15.00
C. T. Upton	10.00
Chas. P. Conant	10.00
Paige Street Sunday School	5.00
A Friend from Conway, N. H.	5.00
A. L. Thompson	5.00
Golden Harvest Circle, C of F.	5.00
Harry L. Fifield	2.00
Unknown	2.00
Total	$10,314.00

FIREMEN WILL AID.

The local firemen are raising funds for the relief of the sufferers of the recent explosion at South Lowell. It is expected that the contribution made by the fire fighters will be a large one.

LAWRENCE WILL AID.

The terrible effect of the recent explosion of the Lowell powder mills was vividly recalled by Mayor Howe of Lowell in a speech given at the reception to the members of the Lawrence city government by the Lowell city fathers, at the Merrimack house, Lowell, last evening, when he appealed to them for aid in the efforts to provide for the many families made homeless by the disaster.

"I hope," he said, "that when you get back to Lawrence, you will not forget the 71 families made destitute by the terrible disaster which has recently visited our city and will help us to keep them from the poor house."

This appeal is one which must certainly receive due consideration. At the time of the terrible visitation of a cyclone to Lawrence in 1890, when many homes were wrecked, in South Lawrence, the city of Lowell was one of the first to give assistance. The members of the local city government were much impressed with the appeal of Mayor Howe and it is probable that some action will be taken in the matter of contributing to the Lowell relief fund.—Lawrence Sun.

QUESTIONS ASKED OF APPLICANTS.

Rev. Mr. Wright was at his office in Free church, this morning, at the appointed hour, and found several persons armed with the necessary identification cards awaiting the opening of the day's work.

The N. E. Tel. company has volunteered the use of a telephone at the relief depot and it will be put up this afternoon. Another relief station will be established at the scene of the explosion. Contributions of clothing were received this morning from Miss Bertha C. Robinson, Mrs. S. T. Lancaster, two friends who withheld their names, G. R. Latham and Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Field.

Each applicant for aid has to write out answers to the following questions: Name in full. Present and former street and number (if possible). Married or single? If married, how many in family? How many are at work? Ages of children. Was any member of your family killed in the explosion? If so, who. (Please give full name and age). Was any member of your family wounded by the explosion? (Please give full name and age). Was any member of your family in hospital because of injury by explosion? (Please give full name, age and the hospital). Was your house injured or destroyed? Did you have furniture destroyed? If so, what articles?

When these questions are properly answered, the committee starts the work of investigating.

Today contributions of clothing were received from Mrs. E. D. Holden and two friends. The relief committee desires all to understand that they will not pay back board bills or any other artificial claims made by applicants.

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Try our new brands of Flour, the best in the city. "The King Arthur," "Crown of Gold," and "Banquet."

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DOG POISONER

Aged Druggist Had His Case Continued

Inspector Walsh Buried Ancient Meat—He Says It Will Not Keep Another Week

William H. French, arrested by Inspector Walsh yesterday afternoon and booked at the police station on the charge of exposing poisonous meat to be eaten by a dog, was in police court today and was ordered in $500 for his appearance before the court next Friday morning. Dennis O'Brien went security for Mr. French. Peter A. Fay appeared for him and D. J. Donahue will conduct the case for the commonwealth.

Mr. French is 69 years old. He at one time conducted the drug store, now run by Ellingwood & Co., corner of Merrimack and Central streets.

Following is a list of the dogs that were poisoned Wednesday and Thursday:

Dr. Lamson's pointer belonging to J. A. Willett, a Boston pug belonging to Jaques Gregoire, a black shepherd, the property of Willis Hobbs, two dogs, the property of John Mackenzie, one belonging to Daniel Clark and one owned by William Hall.

Other dogs poisoned previous to Wednesday included those owned by Samuel Flemming, a pointer; George Ansart, a pointer; Mr. Schofield, a pug; Mrs. Prentiss Webster, a St. Bernard; Frank Merrill, a pointer; A. R. Kingsbury, a shepherd; J. Gregoire, a bull; J. A. Willett, a pointer and a hound, the property of Inspector Martin Maher.

Mr. Gregorie also says that a very valuable cat which he owned was poisoned some time ago, and thinks the same stuff was used as killed the dogs.

Inspector Walsh who made the arrest had some pieces of meat in court which he found in a trunk in Mr. French's room. The latter lives at the corner of Bridge and West Fourth streets.

It was easy enough to locate Mr. Walsh while he carried the paper box that held the meat. It was a bit ancient and the inspector was not being lionized; in fact he was receiving his orders through a megaphone from the deputy, whose sense of smell is very keen.

The inspector finally buried the meat in the back yard until the case was called and nearly threw a fit when he heard the case had been continued for a week.

"How in the name of all that is good and great can I preserve that meat another week?" slashed Mr. Walsh as he stood o'er the grave of his buried beef.

JAIL SENTENCE

For Colored Men Who Disturbed Meeting

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7.—Granville Martin, William M. Trotter and Bernard Charles who were found guilty of disturbing the Booker T. Washington meeting at the Zion A. M. E. church a week ago, were brought before Judge Bennett for sentence today. Martin and Trotter were given the maximum penalty under the law. Charles was fined. Each appealed. Before passing sentence the court addressed the defendants saying that this was the most flagrant case he had ever known. The defendants, Martin and Trotter deliberately tried to prevent Booker T. Washington from speaking. If the defendants did not wish to hear Mr. Washington, they should have left the church, and he felt there could be no justification for disturbing the meeting. He then sentenced Martin and Trotter to the maximum penalty of 30 days in the house of correction and Bernard Charles was fined $25 which he paid. On an appeal each of the other defendants was held in $200 for the superior court.

ROUGH EXPERIENCE

THE GETTYSBURG RAN INTO VIOLENT WINDS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Aug. 7.—The tug Gettysburg, towing barges Mohonoy, Philadelphia for Bangor; Brookside for Gardiner and Corbin for Portsmouth, which put in here last night, reports having encountered violent easterly winds off Fire Island on the 5th instant and had a rough experience.

The Brookside had her rudder-head twisted off and she sprung a bad leak, making it difficult to keep her afloat. The Mohonoy's tiller was broken and her mainsail was blown to pieces. The Corbin came through the gale without injury. It is probable that the Brookside's cargo will be discharged and sold at New Bedford.

PASSED WRECKAGE

STEAMSHIP AND SAILING VESSEL PROBABLY COLLIDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Aug. 8.—The tug Underwriter today reported that yesterday, when about 5 miles south of Shinnecock, she came across a quantity of wreckage which the captain thinks must have been the result of a collision between a steamship and a sailing vessel.

The wreckage consisted of what appeared to be cargo derricks such as are generally used on board a steamer and steamer's deck fittings; also a portion of a sailing vessel's stern. Those on board the tug could discover no wreckage with the name on it, but came to the conclusion that some steamer and a sailing vessel had come together and that both vessels had been lost.

A fisherman at Newport, R. I., reported on Tuesday that he had sighted wreckage off Block Island, supposed to have come from a steamer.

THE TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROOKLINE, Mass., Aug. 7.—The management of the International lawn tennis tournament at Longwood at noon today, announced that the match in doubles, twice postponed on account of rain, would be played at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The teams have been elected and R. F. & H. L. Doherty will play the Wrenn brothers.

THE STOCK MARKET

ENCOURAGED BY PRICES QUOTED IN LONDON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—At today's opening of the stock market yesterday's late improvement was continued, no little encouragement coming from London, where prices for Americans were generally higher. The better tone was not long sustained, however, profit-taking and further liquidation for weak accounts causing recessions in many stocks, till in many instances prices went below yesterday's closing.

Part of the liquidation was in Virginia-Carolina Chemical, which was freely offered at a slight advance. It is known that one prominent stock exchange house closed out loans for at least two banking houses. Indications point to a continuance of these tactics for a time to come.

In the absence of any marked buying power the list sold off more or less irregularly all through the morning session.

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IN NEW BEDFORD

Cotton Mills May Shut Down

SOME OF THEM ARE CURTAILING ALREADY

The High Price of Cotton Is Blamed

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 7—All the New Bedford cotton mills have sections of looms stopped and are curtailing in certain departments. Whether they will be compelled to shut down entirely will be probably be decided by the end of this month.

No one looks for a break in the price of cotton until sometime in October, when the new crop is put on the market. It is two or three weeks later this year than it was last. If any general curtailment is inaugurated in this city, it will probably not take place until some time in September.

At the Bristol mills notices have been posted that the plant will shut down tomorrow and will start August 17. Edward O. Knowles, treasurer of the corporation, when asked as to the cause of the shut down replied:

"The high price of colton and the low price of goods makes it necessary."

There is a report in circulation that the corporation will alternate with one week of shut down and one week of operating machinery. To this, however, Mr. Knowles says that he has not decided as to the future operation of the plant.

The claim is made that there has been such depression in the cotton trade since 1893 that even in this early day it is more seriously felt than it was ten years ago.

For the first time since the Acushnet mills were built, that corporation has many looms idle.

Every morning large numbers of the mills operatives report at the mills, looking for work, only to go away disappointed and the police at both ends of the city say that there are more people moving about the streets day times than in years.

It is predicted that by the middle of fall hundreds of the best weavers in the city will have left town, some having already made arrangements to return to their old homes.

KNITTING COMPANY CURTAILS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 7.—The Springfield Knitting company has been forced to curtail productions somewhat on account of the high price of cotton. Some 200 hands are employed by the concern, and 25 per cent. are affected.

REPORT UNTRUE

MOB NOT AFTER YOUNG NEGRO LAWYER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. CLAIRSVILLE, O., Aug. 7.—The report that a posse was after a young negro lawyer of this place named C. E. Burns, to lynch him for assaulting a prominent woman, Mrs. M. E. Stowe, is pronounced untrue by Sheriff Major. No persons of the above names are known at St. Clairsville and there is no excitement.

SIXTEEN CASES

OF CHOLERA INFANTUM THIS WEEK.

The record of contagious diseases at the health department office in City hall shows 16 cases of cholera infantum in this city thus far this week.

MRS. DERBY DEAD

MOTHER OF ALDERMAN DERBY PASSED AWAY.

Alderman Lucius A. Derby has been called to New Hampshire by the death of his mother, which occurred Tuesday. Mrs. Derby is at Woodstock, N. H., where her mother is dangerously ill.

GREAT BRITAIN

DOES NOT REGARD AFFAIR IN MACEDONIA AS SERIOUS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7.—Confidential official reports received at the foreign office regarding Macedonia, have caused the British government to adopt the view that the situation is not very serious, for the moment, though sufficiently so to warrant the taking of precautions. The Porte is looked to re-establish order on its own territory, and the British officials do not believe that Turkey contemplates an attack on Bulgaria in view of the known attitude of the powers, especially Russia and Austria.

STOCK MARKET

HAD A STORMY OPENING THIS MORNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7—The stock market opened strong. Amalgamated 40¾. Atchison 59. Baltimore & Ohio 81¼. Canadian Pacific 122⅝. Erie 25⅝. do first pfd. 65¼. Louisville 162½. Missouri Pacific 92½@92¾. N. Y. Central 120. Norfolk & Western 61⅝. Pennsylvania 122. Reading 48. Rock Island 21¾. Sugar 113½. St. Paul 138¼@⅛. Southern Pacific 12¾. Southern 30. Texas Pacific 23. Union Pacific 72. United States Steel 23¾, d pfd. 70⅝. Wabash pfd. 32⅜.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7—Cotton: Futures opened easy. Aug. 11.00, Sept. 10.56, Oct. 9.88, Nov. —, Dec. 9.69, Jan. 9.71, Feb. —, March 9.71.

HAD SHORT SPIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 7.—The big sloop Constitution went out this forenoon for a short spin and returned at noon and picked up the Columbia's moorings in Brenton Cove, which are more protected.

The Reliance which went to Bristol yesterday afternoon, is expected back here tonight.

HURRY THE RELIEF

Families Suffer, With Plenty of Relief Funds

A local lawyer informs us that certain clients of his from the vicinity of the explosion have been in a state of practical destitution since the explosion occurred notwithstanding the fact there is plenty of money to relieve all the sufferers. The committee, it seems, is too slow in getting around to these people, where families who are left homeless or where members of the family were lost there should be a donation of reasonable amount from the relief fund, without asking so many questions as to what is to be done with the money, or why it is wanted.

It seems that there is no need of a lot of red tape in dispensing relief to those who most need it. The families are known, their sad loss is no mystery, the selectmen know all about their affliction, why should the committee put them through a lot of categorical questioning before granting relief. The families must be housed properly, they must be provided with food or with a means of keeping themselves, and it must be remembered that sandwiches and coffee is not a proper diet for the people who have passed through the shock of the explosion.

We are glad to note that Chairman Blaisdell is to open headquarters at the ruins and that the people will not have to come down town searching for the headquarters of the relief committee.

The weather since the explosion has been fearfully bad and the poor people badly housed, poorly clad and without proper food, have suffered a great deal that might have been prevented. The time has come when no family among the sufferers should be any longer left in this condition. They have not been neglected intentionally. No doubt the selectmen did all in their power, but somehow it has been very difficult to get the machinery of actual relief into operation.

Many of the people whose houses were partially destroyed might have got along fairly well if they could have started a fire; but their stoves having been smashed and the chimneys torn from houses, the windows and doors blown out, they find it impossible to save themselves from the weather. What is needed then, is carpenters and masons to close windows and doors and build chimneys. Until these things are done the people must necessarily suffer, unless the committee removes them to tenements where they will be provided for until their own houses are ready for occupancy.

HOUSE ROBBED

Thief Made Haul at North Pelham

The residence of George W. McCann at Gumpus pond, in North Pelham, was broken into Wednesday night and clothing and property to the amount of $200 were taken. The family was in Nashua at the time. A warrant was procured for a man named Dow, who formerly worked there, but Dow escaped on the electric cars.

STATEMENT OF DAMAGE

CAUSED BY THE EXPLOSION IN SOUTH LOWELL.

Those persons whose property was damaged by the recent explosion at South Lowell are requested to send to The Sun a statement of the loss they suffered, if they have not done so already. A statement of the losses will appear in tomorrow's Sun.

FRENCH AND MOORS

ENGAGED IN A FIGHT NEAR BENI-FATT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MADRID, Aug. 7.—According to a dispatch from Metalle, Morocco, a fight has taken place between French and Moorish troops near the village of Beni-Fatt.

The Moors who were pursuing a body of Kabyl insurgents, entered French territory, in spite of the protests of the French frontier post and a conflict ensued. Three French and two Moorish soldiers were killed and a number wounded.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7—Noon.—Money on call firmer at 2 ¾; prime mercantile 5 ¾ a 6.

Exchanges $252,733,133.

Balances $7,424,638.

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7.—Exchanges $20,-58,617.

Balances $1,738,413.

COL. CRAWFORD HERE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Among the passengers who arrived today on the steamer Germanic from Liverpool were Col. R. G. Sharman-Crawford of the Royal Ulster Yacht club, and Mrs. Sharman-Crawford.

MILLS WILL SHUT DOWN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 7.—The Gonic mills in the village of Gonic, will shut down tomorrow. It is announced that operations will be resumed on Aug. 24.

Councilman Braden will spend Sunday in New York.

FIVE ARRESTED

Viceroy's Brother Among the Number

By Associated Press to The Sun

PEKIN, Aug. 7—Five reformers were arrested in Pekin yesterday, one being the brother of the viceroy of Wu Chang. Police have been stationed at all gates to prevent men suspected to be reformers from leaving the city.

Mrs. Conger visited the dowager empress at the summer palace today for the purpose of introducing Miss Kate Augusta Carl, an artist from Paris who is to paint the dowager empress portrait.

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ELLINGWOOD & CO., Cor. Central and Merrimack Streets; GOODALE'S DRUG STORE, 217 Central Street; C. E. CARTER, two stores, Cor. Branch and Smith Streets, and Cor. Westford and Pine Streets; LOWELL PHARMACY, 632 Merrimack Street.

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6 O'CLOCK

21 KILLED

Wallace Circus Trains Wrecked Near Durand, Mich.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DURAND, Mich, Aug. 7—Wallace Bros.' circus trains were wrecked in the Grand Trunk yards here just before daylight today and 21 men, mostly employes of the circus, including a few of the performers, were killed outright. Twenty more were injured, some fatally.

The show was traveling in two sections over the Grand Trunk tracks from Lansing to Lapere, and the accident, it was said, was caused by the failure of the second section of the train to stop on time. Two sections were traveling near each other and the second ran into the first at full speed.

The engine of the second section and four cars of the first section were completely demolished. Much valuable property was destroyed, and the loss to the circus people will probably be very heavy.

Some of those killed and a few of the injured were railroad people attached to the train. These include Trainmaster J. McCarthy of the Grand Trunk. Some of the animals were killed.

The scene in the Grand Trunk yards after the collision was appalling. The wreckage of the engine and four cars were strewn about and piled high, while the shrieks of injured victims and the bellowing of the frightened animals could be heard above the hiss of the escaping steam and the excited shouts of the rescuers. It was some hours before all the injured were rescued from the wrecked cars. Some of them were in terrible agony and it is feared that seven more will die.

The dead:

JAMES McCARTHY, trainmaster, Grand Trunk road, between Port Huron and Battle Creek.

A. W. LARGE, special officer Grand Trunk, Battle Creek.

JOHN PURCELL, Peru, Ind., boss canvas man.

L. LARSON, Cambridge, Ohio, six horse team driver.

G. THOMAS, residence unknown, member of stake and chain gang.

HARRY ST CLAIR, residence unknown, reserved seat man.

JOHN LEARY, Springfield, Ill., boss of ring stock.

ANDREW HOWLAND, New York state, canvas man.

FRANK THORP, Dundee, Mich., trainmaster of circus train.

ROBERT RICE, residence unknown, harness maker.

GEORGE SMITH, residence unknown, blacksmith.

CHARLES SANDS, Peru, Ind., driver.

JOE WILSON, Pittsburg, Pa.

W. J. McCOY, Columbus, Ohio, canvas man with side show.

UNKNOWN MAN, driver of band wagon.

UNKNOWN MAN, home said to be in Indianapolis, rider in circus races.

UNKNOWN MAN, home said to be Louisville, four horse driver.

UNKNOWN MAN, four horse driver.

UNKNOWN MAN, suffocated to death.

TWO UNIDENTIFIED MEN are also dead in the hospital.

Seriously injured:

James Foley, special officer Grand Trunk, Detroit; shoulder dislocated, bruises.

Joseph F. Benton, New Milford, Conn.; internal injuries.

W. H. Roe, Armstrong, Ill.; internal injuries.

Frank Tilley, Rising Sun, Ind.; hip dislocated, very bad bruises and internal injuries.

Boll Abrahams, Sandusky, Ohio.

Bert McGrath, Connellsville, Ohio.

John W. Koons, Bairdstown, Ohio.

George Bartley, Los Angeles, Calif.

The wreck according to the statement of the engineer of the second section was caused by the failure of the air brakes to work.

The circus travels in two trains of 30 cars each. After last night's exhibition at Charlotte, the two trains left for Lapere over the Grand Trunk road, the second section leaving a half hour after the first. It was 3.45 o'clock when the first section pulled into the west end of the Grand Trunk yards here. A red light was hung on the rear car to stop the second section. Engineer Propst of Battle Creek who was running the engine of the rear train, says he saw this light and applied the air-brake. To his horror, it refused to work. He reversed his engine but the momentum of the heavy train was too great and with a crash that aroused all of the town near the yards, the two trains met.

Three cars of the stationary first section were telescoped and the engine and five cars demolished.

The rear car of the first section was a caboose in which the trainmen were sleeping and the next two were filled with sleeping circus employes. The greatest loss of life was in the caboose. One of the wrecked cars of the second section wah occupied by five elephants and several camels. One of the elephants and two camels were killed outright, while the other animals and their trainer escaped. With the exception of this car none of the menagerie was wrecked, the other demolished cars contained canvas or wagons and there was comparatively little excitement among the wild animals.

As soon as they had recovered from the first shock, the trainers went among the cages, quieting the few beasts that were excited. The elephants in the wrecked car behaved with surprising calmness and were led out of the wreck without trouble.

The escaping steam and screams and the cries of those pinned in the wreck accentuated the horror when the trainmen in the yards and the aroused townspeople first reached the scene. Many feared at first that some of the menagerie had escaped. The fire whistle was immediately sounded and the whole town aroused. The rescuers could see unfortunates through the tangled wreckage and went furiously to work without waiting for tools, to extricate them. A wrecking crew is kept in the yards here and it was on the scene in a very few minutes, bringing tools and equipments in plenty. All the physicians and trained nurses in town were sent for and these in nearby places were rushed to the scene on handcars. The Hotel Richelieu was converted into a temporary hospital and scores of volunteers with stretchers were in readiness to carry the injured there as fast as the rescuers could extricate them. The dead, many of them so terribly mangled that identification seemed dell nigh impossible, were carefully laid on the green sward a short distance from the scene. By 6 o'clock a corps of 12 physicians was operating on the injured and dressing their wounds in the temporary hospital. Four of the injured died at the hospital before 8.30 o'clock.

When the wrecking crews had finished pulling to pieces the tangled and broken cars, 17 dead men were lying on the grass awaiting removal to the morgue. A majority of them were killed while asleep. The circus performers were on the rear of the moving train and escaped injury. Wallace Brothers say their loss will be very heavy, but have given no estimate of it as yet. This is the second wreck that the Wallace shows have been in within a month.

Engineer Broost, Fireman Colter and head brakeman Benedict, who was also on the engine of the second section, all agree that if the brakes had worked as they ought to have when the engineer tried to use them, there would have been no collision.

Colter and Benedict, when they saw that a collision could not be averted, jumped. Bropst remained at his post, vainly trying to get the brakes to work until his train was within less than a hundred feet of train No. 1. Then he jumped when he was within a few seconds of sure death in the crash. He was of course shaken up, as was the fireman and brakeman, but not badly.

None of the crews of either train was hurt. At the time the crash occurred, train No. 2 was running probably 15 miles an hour.

General Manager F. H. McGuigan, of the Grand Trunk system, was on his way from Chicago to Montreal and arrived at the scene on the passenger train at 7 o'clock. He immediately took charge of the work of clearing the track and caring for the injured and dead.

All the available drays and express wagons in the vicinity were used for ambulances and for several hours after the accident there was a steady procession of these extemporized ambulances from the scene of the accident in the railroad yards to the hotel Richelieu. The dining room of the hotel was used as an operating room by the surgeons. A score of the wives and daughters of the rescuers volunteered as nurses and worked with the surgeons all the morning. More than 20 of the injured were fastened and pinned down in the wreckage so that they had to be chopped and pried out. Their groans and cries were pitiful and spurred the wreckers on to redoubled efforts. It was late in the morning before all had been extricated and removed to the hospital. All of the animal cars were unloaded and the cages removed to neighboring fields where the animals could get the air and quiet down after the excitement.

Edward York died at noon at the temporary hospital. Fifteen of the injured were placed aboard a special train and taken to Detroit for treatment.

The circus people have pitched their tents and camped near the scene of the wreck.

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GERMAN AMBASSADOR

Presented His Credentials to the President

By Associated Press to The Sun

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 7.—Sagamore Hill, President Roosevelt's country home, was the scene today of an interesting ceremony. Baron Speck Von Sternberg, who has been minister plenipotentiary of Germany to the United States since Ambassador Von Holleben returned to Europe, and who recently, on the retirement of Dr. Von Holleben, was elevated to the rank of ambassador, presented to the president his credentials as ambassador and was received formally in his new diplomatic rank by President Roosevelt.

The ambassador arrived in Oyster Bay at 10.04 o'clock from New York. Accompanying him were Acting Secretary of State Francis B. Loomis and Colonel Thomas W. Symons, superintendent of the public buildings and grounds at Washington, and the military aide of the president. Then, escorted by Colonel Symons and in full court dress, he was taken to Sagamore Hill, where the formal presentations occurred in the parlor of the Roosevelt home.

Ambassador Von Sternberg laid before President Roosevelt the letter announcing the recall of Ambassador Von Holleben and his own credentials as successor.

The German ambassador said:

Mr. President, by command of His Majesty, the German Emperor, King of Prussia, my most gracious master, I have the honor, Mr. President, to place in your hands a letter of His Majesty wherehy he recalls his former ambassador extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary in the United States of America. I place this with my credential letter in your hands with the assurance that it shall be my most earnest endeavor to cultivate, promote and develop the relations of friendship which have so long existed without the slightest interruption between Germany and the United States. I trust, Mr. President that you will kindly second my efforts and thus facilitate the fulfilment of my important mission."

President Roosevelt replied as follows:

"Mr. Ambassador, I have much pleasure in receiving from your hands the letter whereby his majesty, the German emperor, accredits you as his ambassador extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary in the United States of America, in place of his majesty's former ambassador, Mr. Von Holleben, whose letter of recall you now deliver to me.

"Your knowledge of the American government and people gained during your several periods of residence here as a diplomatic agent of Germany and the pleasant relations which have existed between yourself and the executive offices of this country lend aided force to the assurance of your desire and endeavor to advance and strengthen the relations of amity which have been maintained so long and unbrokenly between the United States and Germany, and will enable you moreover to appreciate at its full weight the reciprocal assurance which I gladly offer by the equal wish and purpose of this government to promote in all practicable ways the fulfillment of your mission."

At the conclusion of the ceremony the president and the ambassador, as old friends, chatted animatedly. The ambassador will be the unofficial guest of the president until sometime tomorrow.

It was stated authoritatively today that the reception by the president of the German ambassador at Sagamore Hill is not to be regarded as a precedent, although it is the first time in the history of the country that an ambassador has presented his credentials to the president outside of Washington. Ministers who arrive in the United States during the vacation season will not be presented to the president at his summer home, unless there is some strong and urgent reason for it.

Baron Von Sternberg was received because the circumstances with his coming to the United States were exceptional, in a sense. Then, too, he is a long-time personal friend of the president. The only way in which the presentation today may be considered a precedent will be when the conditions are similar, that is, when an ambassador shall receive his promotion to that rank while in and accredited to this country as a minister plenipotentiary.

MUST APOLOGIZE

Young Man Interfered With Firemen

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 7.—The case against Samuel DeForest, for obstructing the firemen at a fire with his automobile, has been continued upon the understanding that the young man will pay all costs in the case and apologize to the firemen who feel themselves insulted. The firemen have been greatly bothered by summer people racing the apparatus to fires and last Saturday, young DeForest talked back to the firemen as a result of which he took a policeman as passenger in his machine and drove to the police station.

SENATOR TILLMAN

WAS EJECTED FROM A TRAIN BY CONDUCTOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—Senator "Pitchfork" Tillman is stranded somewhere between Kansas City and Chicago, and though earnestly looked for by his friends here has not yet turned up. While on his way here yesterday to appear at the Auditorium, it is reported that his pocket was picked and he lost both railway ticket and cash and was ejected from the train by a sceptical conductor.

Railroad officials are worried over the affair and fear that the fiery senator will bring action for damages. Their telegrams have failed to locate him and it is believed that he is determined not to give them the opportunity of paying his fare, but is waiting at some way station for a remittance from home.

The trainmen telegraphed to headquarters for instructions when the senator told his story but as there was no means of identifying the senator unless by his vigorous language the conductor was told to use his own judgment. He did so by expelling the senator from the train.

REV. PETER RONAN

HAS BEEN APPOINTED A DIOCESAN CONSULTER.

The Rev. Peter Ronan, rector of St. Peter's Catholic church, Dorchester, and brother of Rev. Fr. Ronan of this city, has received the announcement that Archbishop Williams has appointed him a diocesan consulter to succeed the late Rev. Thomas Shahan of Malden.

HAS WOODEN LEG

CHICKEN MANAGES TO GET ALONG ALL RIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 7.—Harry Webb, the 13-year-old son of the Hon. James H. Webb of this city, noticed a few days ago that one of the chickens on his father's farm was minus a leg. He whittled out a piece of wood until it was shaped like the chicken's missing leg.

Then he captured the fowl and spliced the wooden leg to the stub that remained. When liberated the chicken ran off with a celerity that astonished the young chicken healer and seemed to use the wooden limb as nimbly as if it were its own. The chicken scratches with it just as regularly as it does with the natural leg.

TAKE NOTICE

William A. Block, watchmaker and optician, formerly known as the proprietor of the American Watch Repairing Co., has opened a new store at 14 Prescott street, fourth store from Merrimack Sq.

HOTELS IN MAINE

May Close on Account of Prohibition

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEWISTON, Me., Aug. 7—It is said on good authority that the hotels in the principal Maine cities are to close as a result of enforcement which has obliged them to close their bars and thereby run their hotels at a loss. This does not include Portland, as it is said that the hotels there are running "wide open" and doing a paying business. A prominent Maine hotel man is in this city to learn whether the Lewiston hotel men are favorable to closing.

One of them says: "I would not be surprised if all the leading hotels in this city were closed inside of two weeks. The hotel business since last January has been run at a loss in this city, as it has in other Maine cities where strict enforcement has prevailed. The commercial travelers whom the hotels rely upon for a large percentage of trade make as short trips as possible in such cities where the hotel accommodations are not what they want—that is, hotels having no bar.

"The temperance cranks, if they have business in town, will walk all night in search of a boarding house with rates at $2.50 per week before they would patronize a hotel and pay the rates that other people pay. You ask any of the merchants in Lewiston and if they don't tell you they are doing less business than they were a year ago I will treat.

"The enforcement carried on in Maine is a farce and a humbug. The respectable hotel bars have been closed and the pocket peddlers given an opportunity to reap a harvest."

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WALL STREET, 10.10 a. m.—Opening prices of stocks showed a continuation of yesterday's late upward movement. Many leading stocks were up more than ½ but few showed gains in excess of a point. Amongst the latter were Chicago, Great Western and Virginia-Carolina Chemical which rose 1¼ each, Illinois Central, Metropolitan Street Railway and Consolidated Gas gained a point. There were 1300 shares of Missouri Pacific sold simultaneously at 92½ and 92 compared with 92¼ last night and New York Central was shaded a small fraction. Selling on the opening advance caused some immediate recessions.

WALL STREET, 11 a. m.—Sales to realize on purchases made yesterday cancelled opening advances, put the active list a fraction below yesterday's close. In addition, American Car, North American, Hocking Valley, St. Louis and San Francisco second pfd. and Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie declined 1 @ 1¾. On the other hand, Atchison pfd., Southern Railway pfd., Colorado & Southern first pfd., and several minor stocks rose 1 @ 2. Support developed on the decline and there were some sharp rallies following a jump in Reading to 43. The market was inclined to droop again at 11 o'clock.

Noon.—The second re-action carried prices slightly lower, but Missouri Pacific and New York Central were the only prominent stocks that fell a point under last night. Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie, Kansas City Southern pfd., and Virginia-Carolina Chemical lost 1½ to 2. There was an advance of 3¾ in Virginia-Carolina Chemical pfd and ¼ to ¾ in Pacific Mail, Republic Steel pfd., and Wheeling & Lake Erie. The market rallied slightly and became intensely dull. Bonds were irregular.

1 p. m.—The feature of the mid-day trading was the violent break in Canadian Pacific to within a fraction of the lowest price of the year. The stock was quoted in long strings on the tape and monopolized most of the business. Blocks of 1000 to 3000 shares were thrown over frequently, breaking the price, 4 points to 118. Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie and allied property dropped 8. Virginia-Carolina Chemical fell rather abruptly to 25 1-4, a loss of 3 1-4, and many of the representative railroads and specialties declined between 1 and 2 points. Delaware & Hudson gave way 2 1-2, People's Gas 2 1-4 and Missouri Pacific 2 1-8.

2 p. m.—The selling movement flattened out and the market hardened moderately. Canadian Pacific rallied 1¾ and Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie 4. Snuff jumped 5. The market then became dull and sluggish and worked back again to about the lowest in the westerns, Pacifics and coal stocks.

SPOT COTTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7—Cotton: Spot closed dull; middling uplands 12.75; middling gulf 13.00. Sales 1200 bales.

LANDLORDS.

If you have a tenement idle that rents for $15 a month, you are losing 50 cents a day every day it is vacant. A little ad. in The Sun "To Let" column will rent your tenement in a very few days. Others have tried it with good results; why don't you try it?

SPECIAL NOTICES

DOUBLE STAMPS, BLUE—All this week; 60 with a pound of Baking Powder, 40 with a pound of Tea, 20 with a pound of Coffee. Dickson's Tea Store, 63 Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Daniel H. Reynolds, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court, for probate, by Hannah M. Reynolds, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court, to be held at Cambridge, in said county of Middlesex, on the first day of September, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this twenty-first day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Situation by an all-round cook with reference. Apply L. B., Sun office.

INFORMATION WANTED.

INFORMATION WANTED—As to the whereabouts of Charlotte G. Matrejean (nee Sloane) wife of Joseph L. Matrejean, formerly of this city, now of Port Arthur, Texas. Kindly leave such information at Sun office.

INFORMATION WANTED as to the whereabouts of John, James, Joseph, Thomas and William Duffy, sons of Mary Duffy, formerly of Fall River. Address Eliza Daley, care The Sun office.

BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD

Corrected to June 22, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, x7.50, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.26, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, w3.10, x3.03, *3.47, w3.55, *4.02, 4.23, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w6.15, *6.22, 7.00, *7.19, 8.42, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.21, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 4.25, 5.53, 8.46 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, 27.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28 (to Lawrence only), w2.30, 3.55, 5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wg11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30, 8.46 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.45, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06, 7.02, 9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.30, 8.46, p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.28, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, 12.30, 13.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06, 6.15 p. m.

For Haverhill Bridge, Newburyport, Hampton, Northampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach R. R., 2.55 p. m. until Sept. 4, inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 6.28, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. (to Bangor only); 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 12.05 p. m.

For Casine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, 7.31, *7.48, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28, 8.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 6.46, 6.28, 7.31, 7.48, 9.50, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 1.56, 4.23, 5.22, 8.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.24, 8.45, 9.20, a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, *9.29, *9.59, *10.39 a. m.; *12.05, 1.00, 1.39, *1.54, 2.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; 12.09, 1.39, 5.39, *8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30, 9.39 a. m.; 1.39, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.00 p. m.

For Tilton, Laconia, Lakeport, Weirs, Meredith and Plymouth, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; 1.54, 5.39 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, 10.39 a. m.; 1.54, *9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *10.39 a. m.; *b8.10 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, 1.54, *b9.10 p. m.

References:—
jVia Wakefield Junction.
*Express. bDaily.
qWednesdays and Saturdays only.
wVia Western Division.
xVia Bedford. zVia Wilmington Junc.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.
H. C. TAFT, General Agent, Lowell.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A girl to assist in housework and take care of a baby. Call at 32 Marginal street.

WANTED—Immediately; laundress to go to beach. Wages $5.00. Fare paid. Apply Phil Agency, 29 Central street.

WANTED—A good capable girl for general housework in a family of five; no small children; American or Swede preferred; will be treated as one of the family; a steady, reliable girl wanted in a quiet family. Address George, Sun office.

WANTED—Young man for decorative painting; also lady for decorative design and office. Apply Lowell Decorating Co., 243 Central street, room 7.

BARBER for Saturday. Apply 34 Bridge street.

WANTED—An experienced table girl at once at Mrs. Lombard's, 21 Bradford St., Tremont corp.

WANTED—An elderly woman to do light housework and care for a child. Apply at 67 Pleasant street.

WANTED—Five men of good education and good appearance to take historical data for filing at Washington, D. C. "Record." Sun office.

WANTED—Middle aged woman to assist in kitchen work. 46 Mass. corp.

WANTED—A woman to do light housework and to care for two children. Call 131 Cushing street.

WANTED—A man from the country used to care of cows. S. P. Pike, 523 Middlesex street.

CIRCULAR DISTRIBUTORS—$5 per 1000; no canvassing or peddling; experience unnecessary. Continental Distributing Service, Chicago.

WANTED—Lady or gentleman to travel; salary $18 per week and expenses; state where can be seen. Address I. C., Sun office.

WANTED—Good chamber girl, kitchen girl and table girl at 53 Lee street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST OR STOLEN—Yale, cushion frame bicycle, black enamel. Reward for return to 179 Moody street.

LOST—Lady's pocketbook on Merrimack square containing 10 Waltham trip tickets and about $1.60 in money. Reward at Sun office.

LOST—Small bunch of keys Wednesday night on Middlesex street between the Bleachery and Branch street. Return to J. H. Burns.

LOST—Brindle and white Boston bull terrier pup, from Willow Dale, Saturday; age, 10 weeks, answers to Carlo. Reward at 111 Central street.

LOST—Saturday evening on Coral street, a purse containing sum of money and H. G. S. class pin. Reward if returned to F. M. Perkins, 135 Branch St.

WANTED

YOUNG MEN to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamp. Department 34 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg. New York.

WANTED—To buy a 10 to 20 horse power upright boiler. Call on E. J. Whitman, corner Jackson and Revere streets, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Cheap driving horse. Call at 50 Grove street Sunday or evenings before 8.

ROOMS to paint, paper and whitewash; stock and labor $4 per room, first class work. Send postal and I will call with samples of paper, or call at store, 244 Lakeview avenue. M. A. Gilligan & Son.

YOUNG LADIES to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 30 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamp. Department 35 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend building, New York.

WANTED—Children to board in country; desirable home; terms reasonable. Address Box 362 Billerica Centre, Mass.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford. Take Boston car, second house on right past city line.

ST. CHARLES BARBER SHOP, 405 Middlesex street; 5 first-class workmen; under the management of Louis Joy. Your patronage solicited.

ANY BUSINESS can be improved by advertising it in this column.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A. Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 6, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in city. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, Room 26, Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leinhas, Room 9, Barristers' hall.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Best lot of land, Branch street, for house or business; price $1250. G. P. Walker, 94 Middlesex street.

IF YOU WANT to sell your real estate communicate with me quickly; I have customers; best forms fire, life and endowment insurance written. M. J. Sharkey, Swan building, 26 Central street.

FARM FOR SALE

Situated in Tyngsborough, on main road; one mile from electrics and steam cars; two miles from North Chelmsford; 30 acres, divided into tillage, pasture and wood; can keep several head of stock; house contains 10 rooms, convenient for two families; buildings newly shingled and painted, in perfect repair; fine large barn; hen house 70 feet long; large silo and ice house; lots of fruit; trout brook; best of neighbors; running spring water in house and barn; close to large quarry; good chance for boarders, winter and summer; best farm for sale within 5 miles of Lowell; call this week. H. W. J. Howe, Courier-Citizen building.

SUMMER RESORTS.

MRS. ROBY of "The Oceanside," Lynn Beach, is fast winning her way in the hearts of Lowellites, and many who were guests there while it was The Bay View under the late Mrs. Roby's management have returned and are delighted with young Mrs. Roby and the many changes she has made for the comfort of her guests. Rates $1 and $1.25 per day.

THE WASHINGTON, Hampton Beach; comfortable rooms by the day or week; cafe on the European plan; all home cooking; souvenir sea shells and novelties.

NAHANT BEACH Board and rooms by the day or week; old and new patrons will be accommodated. F. L. Dwyer, 12-14 Suffolk street.

"THE LEIGHTON," Salisbury Beach, is now open for the season; good rooms and the finest board.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—First-class restaurant in the Highlands. Inquire 22 Branch street.

FOR SALE—The furniture of an elegantly furnished house on the Highlands; buyer can rent house if desired; eight rooms, gas, steam heat, laundry and stable. E. H. White, 127 Central street.

FOR SALE—Good steel boiler, 60 horse power. Call on E. J. Whitman, corner Jackson and Revere streets, Lowell, Mass.

SCOTCH COLLIE PUPS, full pedigree; sable and white. Call evenings at 105 Crawford street.

BOARDING HOUSE on Broadway, near Lamson's, for sale; must be sold at once. Write C. B., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Two large store front windows and three counters; all as good as new; will sell cheap. Inquire at 498 Lakeview avenue.

FOR SALE—Gentleman leaving the city wishes to sell 2¼ karat diamond at a bargain. Address S. S. Sun office.

MANURE FOR SALE—By carload. For prices, etc., apply Londergaard & Nelson, 12 Kingston street, Charlestown, Mass.

FOR SALE—A full blooded bull terrier; cheap. Inquire 23 Cross street.

FOR SALE—A large liquor saloon, all furnished, in first class manner, on Main street, opposite the post office, in Woonsocket, R. I.; the place is now doing a good and profitable business. For further particulars inquire at 54 Main street, Woonsocket, R. I.

CAMP FOR SALE—On the banks of the Merrimack river suitable for a family of eight; 5c fare from Lowell; also a boat. Apply 3 Alder street, Lawrence, Mass. Edward Sharkey.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes. Poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

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In this city are between School street and Walker street, on Broadway, and the prices are very low per foot. For further particulars inquire of

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MISCELLANEOUS

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MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office, 355 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

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WE ARE ALL READY for fall styles from $1 up. Caps from 10c up at Delorme's, the hatter, 261 Middlesex street.

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TO LET—Six and seven room tenements at 85 West Third street. Apply H. Carp on premises, or 94 Middlesex street.

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TO LET—In I. O. O. F. block, Chelmsford, store and basement; has been used for last eight years as a bakery. Martin Robbins, 90 Prescott street.

TO LET—Beacon street, corner Methuen, on car line, new seven-room two-tenement house; bath, hot water, set tubs and furnace; low rent right party. Apply G. R. Myers' market, Bridge street.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let in private family. Apply 61 Church street.

TO RENT—Four large rooms for $1.50 per week; all newly papered. No. 24 Wall street, facing Concord river. Key at same house.

TO LET—Nicely furnished front room; gas, bath, etc. Call 48 Stackpole street.

TO LET—Tenement of 5 rooms, pantry and bath; up one flight. Inquire 37 Smith street.

TO LET—Tenements on Appleton and Railroad streets; near mills and depot; cheap rent. E. T. Howard, 274 Appleton street.

FOR RENT—September 1st, 871 Lakeview avenue, six rooms; yellow cottage. Apply to Capt. Reade, 871 Lakeview Ave.

TO LET—Three newly finished and newly furnished rooms; good rooms for nurses or man and wife. 276 Westford street.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 large rooms, sink room and bath room, hot and cold water; surrounded by green vines; nice front and rear yard, with a number of trees and nice lawn. Inquire 147 Howard street, opposite schoolhouse.

TO LET—Flat of six rooms on Rogers street; hot and cold water, open plumbing. Apply 327 Fairmount street.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR JULY

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of July, 1903, was **15,459** A gain of 1952 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Aug 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞ This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞ An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

There will be a big crop of damage suits growing out of the explosion. The lawyers will have a finger in the pie to the end.

Mayor Howe has decided to act upon the suggestion of The Sun and place a contribution box in front of the waiting station on Merrimack square so that those who wish to contribute small amounts for the explosion sufferers may have an opportunity of so doing. Every little counts.

Schwab steps down and out of the United States Steel company. Thinking of the matter from a business standpoint it does seem strange how Schwab could earn his salary and at the same time spend most of his time in Europe. We presume the heaviest draft upon his energies was the drawing his salary.

Congressman Littauer is surprised and disappointed at Secretary Root's decision that there may exist a prima facie case of violation of the statutes in connection with the glove contract now under investigation. He seems to think that a republican congressman should have a license to rob the government with impunity especially when he happens to be a friend of the president.

During the three months ending March 31 there were 300 persons killed and 2834 injured in railroad accidents in the United States. Other railroad casualities brought the total number to 827 killed and 11,481 injured. The Boers lost only 3700 in killed during three years of war with Great Britain, and the moral seems to be that war in Africa is a great deal safer business than railroading in the United States.—Detroit Free Press.

While the figures giving the number of casualties are astounding, the Press man's idea of proportion is apparently very vague.

PROMPT RELIEF NECESSARY.

It comes to light that while money has been freely subscribed for relief some of the sufferers have had no relief. The funds should be promptly applied to the needy cases. It will not do to spend several days investigating. There are cases the prompt relief of which is imperative.

SCHWAB AS A TEXT.

Schwab was held up as an example to young men when he was elevated to the presidency of the steel trust. It was the result of perseverance, industry and so on. His retirement may also be held up as an example to young men: No man who makes several attempts to break the bank at Monte Carlo can expect anything different. One year's recklessness will undo the work of long years of perseverance.

THE NEW POPE.

The election of the patriarch of Venice to the papal throne is hailed as a triumph for what is known as liberal Catholicism. Having been a warm friend of the late King Humbert, it is probable that he will maintain more friendly relations with the Quirinal than did his illustrious predecessor. He is recognized as a harmonizer, without any preconceived policy. He will deal with matters appertaining to the welfare of the church when they come before him. He is distinctly a harmonizer rather than a politician or mere diplomat. Cardinal Gibbons is said to have urged the objection against Rampolla that he cared more for states and governments that he did for peoples.

The new pope is 68 years of age, the same age at which Pope Leo ascended the throne and Pius X being a robust man who takes good care of his health, he may reign to reach the "years of Peter."

In the opinion of those most competent to judge he is well equipped to carry on the beneficent work of reconciling all the world to the benign influence of the church and harmonizing all peoples and all nations under the banner of the Redeemer.

AS TO NEWSPAPER CRITICS.

The Fall River Globe refers to a species of criticism that is quite common here, as we assume it is in Fall River. It is the criticism that comes from individuals who are always ready to find fault with the newspapers for what they publish and what they don't publish. It is to such people the Fall River paper refers in the following:

"Over 50,000 people, it is estimated, visited on Sunday last the scene of the Lowell explosion. This indicates what a deep interest the public takes in such gruesome happenings. And yet, there are people who are continually animadverting against the press for giving so much space to horrors of this nature in order that their readers may be fully informed of everything appertaining to them. Imagine what the popular verdict would be with respect to the newspaper as a purveyor of news that regulated its policy in such matters to conform to the ideas of these hypercritical people who pose as censors, and would have news of this character reduced to the barest mention or cut out entirely. We venture to say that if this plan were observed they would, on occasions, be as vigorous in their fault finding over the omission of the details as they are at other times because the same are printed."

After giving serious attention to such critics for a while the editor soon finds it impossible to please everybody and finally decides to please only himself, which is usually the best course to follow.

MOTHER JONES AND HER ARMY.

Mother Jones at the head of a lot of footsore children has led her forces to Oyster Bay to besiege the president in his castle. She was determined to meet the president and present her weary troops as objects of his commiseration. Unfortunately the stratagem which she had laid did not carry. It was frustrated by the counter movement of the president sending out his secretary with a message of peace to the leader of the army. It set forth the president's sympathies for children and his hatred of child labor as paramount to those of Mother Jones, and that an audience with the leader of the army would be futile as it was beyond the power of the executive or of congress to interfere with the states which maintained child labor.

Possibly the president was afraid that had Mother Jones got into his presence she would have developed the Carrie Nation mania and produced an axe with which to enforce her appeals. But Mother Jones retired in discomfiture with nothing to reward her for her long journey—not even the face of a cartwheel.

It now remains for Mother Jones if she wishes to prosecute her campaign to the end to see the governors of the various states and appeal to them in behalf of the children whose cause she has espoused. But who will furnish the shoe leather, who will supply the commissariat of the army? It really looks as if Mother Jones and her army will have to disband. They can get no satisfaction or sympathy from the powers that be. In the meantime the children must toil on and Mother Jones still lament their fate; but the day is not far distant when the little ones will be relieved, not through peripatetic armies but through the wise use of the ballot, by sending to the legislatures of the various states men of humane instincts, men who are opposed to child slavery, men who can withstand the advances of the corporations without yielding to the temptation.

SEEN AND HEARD

Magistrate Crane, sitting in the Harlem police court, a native of Lowell, is one of the most original and picturesque magistrates in the state. While not as radical as was Judge Dewey of Boston, the police never know what to expect. He gave Detective Liston of the East 125th street station a pretty smart talking to a few days ago.

The detective arrested William E. Francis, 29 years old, of 229 East 128th street, last night for blowing a policeman's whistle.

"Why, I know of no law that prevents a man from blowing a whistle," said the magistrate, when the prisoner was taken before him.

"But it was a policeman's whistle," said Liston.

"I don't see that that makes any difference," said Mr. Crane. "When I am in good humor I often whistle on my way home. I hope I shall not run across you, officer, when I am whistling; you might arrest me. Now, how long have you been on the force?"

"Eight months,' replied the abashed detective.

"Well, I will forgive you this time," said the magistrate, and he discharged the prisoner.

Francis had blown his whistle in order to bring assistance to a restaurant at Third avenue and 125th streets, where a fight was taking place. The prisoner's brother, John, was arrested on the complaint of Arthur Erler, a waiter in the restaurant, who charged him with having fired a revolver during a dispute.

John Francis was held in $1000 bail for examination.

When Billy Delmage, the veteran janitor at city hall, tires of telling snake, caribou, moose, fish and bear stories he sometimes turns his attention to horses and what Billy doesn't know about horses would make good reading for Owen Carney. Billy's best horse story has to do with a battle royal between a thoroughbred and a wild buckskin. The latter was the leader of a wild band and the stallion was a Kentucky thoroughbred that had run wild.

"It was such a battle," said Billy, laying his woodstock on Joe Patice's desk, "as would have brought delight to the brute soul of a Nero.

"With fore feet and teeth the two stallions engaged, circling madly about on their hind legs, tearing up great clods of turf, biting and striking as opportunity offered. At last, by a quick, desperate rush, the buckskin caught the thoroughbred fairly by the throat. Here the affair would have ended had not the black stallion, rearing suddenly on his muscle ridged haunches and lifting his opponent's fore quarters clear of the ground showered on his enemy such a rain of blows from his iron shod feet that the wild buckskin dropped to the ground, dazed and vanquished.

"Standing over him, with all the fierce pride of a victorious gladiator showing in every curve of his glistening body, the black thoroughbred trumpeted out a stentorian call of defiance and command. The band that had watched the struggle from a discreet distance now came galloping in, whinnying in friendly fashion.

"Black Eagle had won his first fight. He had won the leadership. By right of might he was now chief of this free company of plains rangers. It was for him to lead whither he chose, to pick the place and hour of grazing, the time for watering, and his to guard his companions from all dangers.

"As for the buckskin stallion, there remained for him the choice of humbly following the new leader or of limping off alone to try to raise a new band. Being a worthy descendant of the chargers which the men of Cortes rode so fearlessly into the wilds of the new world, he chose the latter course and, having regained his senses, galloped stiffly toward the north, his bruised head lowered in defeat."

"Where did that all happen?" asked an inquisitive reporter.

"Just beyond the Lowell line in Dracut," said Billy, as he reached for his walnut colored woodstock.

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The woodwork is well finished and of good construction. The sections fasten together without outside metal bands and have the appearance of a solid bookcase. One section with the crown and base is a complete book home and may be enlarged any time.

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1st class, $80 upwards; 2d class $41.50. 3d class at low rates.

From Boston

TO MEDITERRANEAN DIRECT

AZORES, GIBRALTAR, NAPLES, GENOA.

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1st class, $70 upward; 2d class, $35.

Company's Office, 77 State St., Boston, or Dennis Murphy, 14 Appleton Street, B F. Leeds, 5 Bridge Street, Lowell.

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

KEENAN IS HELD

FOR DELAYING THE UNITED STATES MAIL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7—John Keenan, a steamship foreman, who, after signing articles to ship with the United States steamship Admiral Schley, a vessel carrying mail to St. Antonion, Jamaica, declined to make the trip and in so doing delayed the mail about three-quarters of an hour on Wednesday, was held for the grand jury by U. S. Commissioner Fiske yesterday charged with retarding the U. S. mails.

Assistant Attorney J. H. Casey summarized the case as follows:

"This man disregards the rights of the United States, disregards the law on the statute books as to the retarding of the United States mails, disregards the consequences of his action in retarding mails in order to stand by his union."

Keenan refused to sail with the vessel because he did not like the accommodations provided for the men.

SARTO'S ELECTION

HAS AROUSED GREAT ENTHUSIASM IN HIS BIRTHPLACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 7—The mayor of Riese, the birthplace of the new pope, in replying to an inquiry wires to the Italian bureau of the Associated Press as follows:

"The election of Cardinal Sarto as pope has aroused indescribable enthusiasm here. The people are preparing special festivities which have been unanimously approved by the city fathers. The village being almost entirely composed of peasants has no idea about the policy or tendencies of Pope Pius X and I am unable to give you any information on that point. He was of the humblest birth.

(Signed) "ANDREAZZA, Mayor."

The pope has decided to hold a secret consistory on Monday next and a public consistory on the Thursday following.

A RESEMBLANCE

MRS. MOORE OF PITTSFIELD, ME., ANXIOUS FOR HER HUSBAND.

Undertaker O'Connell is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Charles Moore of Pittsfield, Me., who seeks information relative to Charles Moore, who was killed in the magazine explosion at South Lowell.

She enclosed her husband's picture and stated that he had left home last April and had not since been heard from.

The picture sent by her bore a striking resemblance to the Charles Moore that was killed.

The man who was killed had lived in this city for about 30 years, and the husband of Mrs. Moore in Pittsfield, Me., is safe, so far as the recent explosion is concerned.

CONTEST EXPECTED

OVER THE WILL OF MARGARET MAGOUN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Aug. 7—A contest of the will of Margaret Magoun of Medford, adopted daughter of the late Thatcher Magoun, whose property she inherited, is expected. An attorney representing the children of Thatcher Magoun who under the will of Margaret Magoun receive $5 each, while her relations are given the bulk of the property, has filed an appearance in the probate court, while Judge John W. Hammond has filed a declination to be executor. Edwin H. Pope who with Judge Hammond, was named by the testatrix, has petitioned to be appointed executor.

FIREMEN OVERCOME

WHILE INVESTIGATING A SUPPOSED FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TIFFIN, O., Aug. 6.—Fire Chief Welmer, Capt. Gregg and four other men were overcome by carbonic gas today while investigating a supposed fire in Wilson's cold storage plant. All are in serious condition.

ONLY SIXTEEN LEFT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 7—The third day's play in the western golf tournament was narrowed down to 16 contestants. Chandler Egan had the easiest match of his week's play with Tweedle. Egan had him five down at the turn and won the match seven up and six to play.

A keen match was the one between W. Egan and W. Carhart. At the turn Egan was three up and was playing steadily. He played a fine game on the green, while Carhart was weak on his putting and approaching.

E. Byers had J. Town five down at the turn.

Champion Louis James had an easy time with Joseph Bole, Cleveland, and will apparently win easily.

CONGRATULATIONS TO POPE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 7—At a quarterly meeting of the board of supreme trustees of the Ladies' Catholic Benevolent association of the United States yesterday, a cablegram of congratulation was sent to the newly elected pope, Pius X.

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The Oyster Cracker with a taste to it.

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BRUTAL ATTACK

Made on Strikers in Southern Russia

THEY WERE TRAMPLED UNDER HORSES' FEET

Also Were Whipped by the Cossacks

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The Daily Mail's Nikolaieff correspondent, under date of August 2, fully confirms the Times correspondent's accounts of strikes in southern Russia. The correspondent says that a quarter of a million men are affected, and that simultaneously strikes occurred over a vast industrial area. The strikers, on the whole, have preserved exemplary order, but this, however, has not served them from having attacks, directed by Gen. Arsenieff, governor of Odessa. Groups of men who assembled last Saturday with the intention of holding a meeting, were driven into a solid mass by 500 Cossacks, backed by two lines of infantry with fixed bayonets. About 2000 strikers, being thus enclosed by a double cordon, the Cossacks rode through them, striking right and left with heavy whips, the fallen men being trampled under the horses' feet.

"When the living mass had been thoroughly kneaded to the governor's will," continued the correspondent, "numerous men were arrested as suspected agitators. The infantry then marched off and the strikers scattered in a dozen directions with Cossacks at their heels. It is reported that 400 strikers were more or less seriously injured and from from six to a dozen succumbed. The whole affair is a typical piece of administrative savagery.

At Odessa the police and gendarmes belonging to one depot threatened to off their uniforms and risk all the terrors of insubordination unless the miserable pittance of eleven to fourteen pence which they are allowed daily was increased and the hours of labor reduced. Siberia is losing its terrors even for Russian policemen.

"The epidemic of incendiarism is spreading through Russia. In twenty-four of the largest towns the damage by fire during the past months is estimated at from $30,000,000 to $35,000,000. The object of the bulk of the fires is to get insurance money. Many of the incendiaries are Jews and the insurance companies in some cases have raised premiums fifty per cent."

OFFICERS CHOSEN

Postmasters Will Meet in Atlantic City

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7—At last evening's session the postmasters were addressed by Third Assistant Postmaster General Edward C. Madden and Auditor Henry A. Castle of the post office department. Committee reports were received and it was voted to hold the 1904 convention at Atlantic City, N. J. These officers were then elected:

President, F. B. Dickerson, Detroit, Mich.

First vice-president, W. E. Hull, Peoria, Ill.

Second vice-president, A. W. Wills, Washington, D. C.

Third vice-president, H. B. Odell, Newburg, N. Y.

Fourth vice-president, G. A. Hibbard, Boston.

Treasurer, T. C. Lawler, Rockford, Ill.

Secretary, W. E. Springer, Detroit.

BUILDERS' LEAGUE

WITHDREW PLAN FOR SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Aug. 7.—Unexpected developments in the peace move of the Builders' Exchange league caused a fresh break in the plans for the general resumption of operations next week. After the proposals for the ending of the lock-out had been sent to the Building Trades council Wednesday which stipulated that the league should employ only union hoisting engineers pending a settlement of the scale, it was discovered with one exception, not a contractor in the city was employing union engineers as such. No attention had been paid to the other contractors by the workmen, but they singled out A. and S. Wilson as the firm to attack and compel the signing of the union scale before anyone else.

The discrimination against Wilson and company was not relished by the league members and when a reply to the proposition made by the league for a settlement was received at the Builders' Exchange, the league decided to withdraw the whole plan and stand on the original ground which demanded that the workmen of all trades return to work on the Wilson contracts on exactly the same conditions as existed before the strike began. This withdrawal of the peace proposition places the lockout in the same position it was a week ago and the fight is still on.

NOT HIS STORE

COUNCILMAN BARRY NOT PLEASED WITH REPORT OF SEIURE.

Councilman James Barry takes exceptions to the report of the seizure made at the saloon formerly kept by him in Market street. The Sun intimated that Mr. Barry was the present occupant of the store and he says such is not the case. Mr. Barry says he has nothing whatever to do with the store, having transferred it to William Fury, and that the store was closed from May 1 to July 17.

MONEY FOR SENATOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 7—Returns received by the Commercial Appeal from Mississippi indicate the nomination of H. D. Money for United States senator and J. K. Vardaman for governor.

LAWN PARTY POSTPONED.

The lawn party scheduled to be held last night by the Lawrence and District Union for the aid of the explosion sufferers in Lowell, was postponed because of the inclement weather.

Putnam & Son Co.

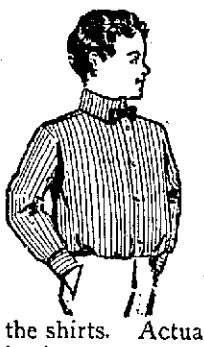
166 Central Street

A Money Saving Opportunity in Neglige Shirts

The finest lot of Neglige Shirts it has ever been our good fortune to sell at such a low price as 29 cents.

We have sold nearly two thousand of these shirts in the past ten days and the balance, about sixty dozens, go on sale today.

The patterns are good; there isn't a poor one in the lot. Materials are woven Madras and Argyles; every shirt is cut a full generous yard in length, and from 46 to 48 inches wide; they're big and roomy, splendidly made, double stitched; felled seams; gussetted; have cushioned neck bands; separate cuffs—50 cent and 75 cent qualities every one of them—sizes 14 to 17 only . . . **29 cents each**



Boys' Neglige Shirts

for only 25 cents

Cut the same few generous sizes as our Men's goods, made in the same excellent manner, neat and pretty patterns that will please every mother and every boy; with a good many of these boys' shirts you can have two separate laundered collars to match the shirts. Actual value 50 cents, these in sizes 12 to 14, all offered for. . **25 cents**

Just the time to get shirts for schoolwear; there will not be one left when you want them in September.

Some Smart Bargains in Men's Summer Hose

We put on sale today 6 cases or 480 dozens, or 5760 pairs of excellent summer hose. While many of the hosiery mills have stopped and others have advanced their prices from 15 to 25 per cent., we offer this great lot of hose on the basis of the prices we paid months ago, in preparation for this event.

80 Dozens men's fast black well known Sterling Hose, nicely made seamless stockings, regularly sold for 10 cents, this lot

7 cents a pair or 4 pairs for 25 cents

100 Dozens men's fast black hose, lisle finish high spliced heels and toes, very fine guage; **60 dozen** cadet blue hose, lisle finish, and **40 dozen** fast black seamless hose, silk embroidered; these three lots of hose that regularly sell for 20 cents a pair, we offer for

10 cents a pair or 3 pairs for 25 cents

100 dozens men's fast black silk lisle finish hose, high spliced heels and toes. **100 dozens** fast black, lace top, silk lisle finish hose, high spliced heels and toes; very fine guage, combed yarns. Regular price 25 cents a pair, in this sale at **12 1-2 cents a pair**

HOLD ON MR. MAYOR

Committee on Accounts Call an Emphatic Halt

His Honor Refuses to Meet the Committee and Sent a Real Sharp Letter—Fourth of July Salute the Cause of It

The joint committee on accounts and Mayor Charles E. Howe are not of the same mind and because the committee's mind does not flow in the same channel with his the city's chief executive is madder than a hatter.

Ordinarily the mayor's face is cheerful, but no thunder storm that ever made feathery billows on Lake Mascuppic was half so dark as was Mr. Howe's countenance when he received the committee on accounts' communication asking him to step up to its august presence and explain why he ordered a salute fired on the Fourth of July.

The committee met yesterday, frowned on the salute bill and forwarded the following letter to his honor, the mayor:

Lowell, Mass., August 5, 1903.
Hon. Charles E. Howe, Mayor,
Dear Sir:—

At a meeting of the Joint Committee on Accounts held on even date, approval of a bill for $125, against appropriation for incidentals in favor of Lowell Mechanic Phalanx, was withheld.

The next meeting of the committee will be held Wednesday, August 12, 1903, at 10 a. m., and it was voted that you be invited to be present at the time, then to give information upon the bill referred to.

Respectfully yours,
FRANK M. DOWLING,
Clerk of Committees.

They do tell that it was just a shade warm in the mayor's office when that letter arrived. The king of the municipal palace hollered to his faithful secretary and told him to answer the committee's letter. He intimated to his secretary that he wanted to make the committee feel a good deal less than thirty cents and the secretary broke loose as follows:

Lowell, August 6, 1903.
Messrs. Alderman James J. Gallagher, Councilmen Patrick F. Welch and Charles H. Worcester, Joint Committee on Accounts.
Gentlemen: I have to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from your committee dated the 5th inst., and signed by Frank M. Dowling, Clerk of Committees. The bill speaks for itself. As mayor of an American city I decline emphatically and absolutely to appear before your committee to discuss either the discretion or authority of the chief magistrate to order a salute fired at the public expense upon the occasion of an anniversary of American Independence. I remain
Yours truly,
CHARLES E. HOWE,
Mayor.

The committee, however, feels that it is their duty to question certain bills that come before them and simply wanted to find if there was any legal warrant for paying the bill. The mayor's reply throws no light on this point.

PARTED 30 YEARS

DR. FREEMAN WEDS DR. ELIZABETH JANET CHILD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BURLINGTON, Vt., Aug. 7.—Dr. Daniel Freeman of Chicago and Dr. Elizabeth Janet Child of Bethel were married yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was one of uncommon interest.

Dr. and Mrs. Freeman are each more than 60 years old, and in their youthful days were lovers, but because their letters were intercepted by a jealous girl they drifted apart and did not see each other for more than 30 years, during which time Dr. Freeman had married and buried a wife.

The wedding took place at 3 o'clock and a general invitation was extended to the public, not only to attend the wedding but also the reception held at the home of Dr. Child.

One of the features of the wedding was the presence of Sarah Chapman, aged 101, who acted as bridemaid.

Dr. Freeman and Miss Child met 40 years ago, when the latter was a pupil at the state normal school. At that time a very intimate friendship sprung up and it soon ripened into love, concluding in an engagement.

Dr. Freeman went to Chicago and went into business. He continued to correspond with Miss Child, but had in his employ a young woman who became jealous of him and letters from him to Miss Child and from Miss Child to him were intercepted.

As a result both thought that the affections of the other had been alienated and the correspondence was dropped. Dr. Freeman married and lived in Chicago until his wife died, a few months ago. He then came east, and during the course of his visit met Miss Child, who had become a doctor, and their intimacy was renewed, culminating in marriage.

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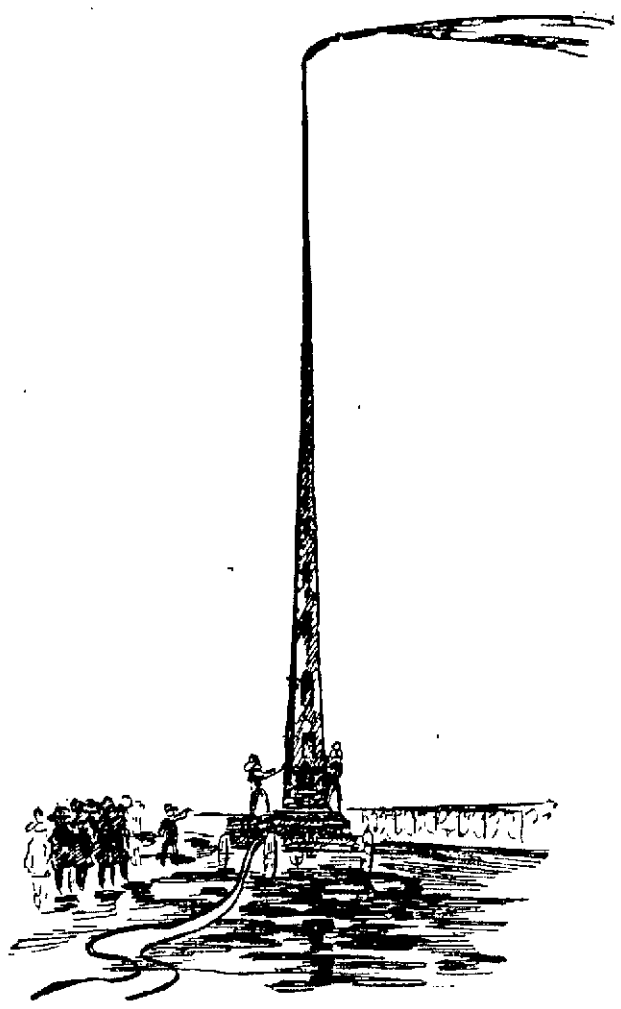

THE WATER TOWER ON EXHIBITION.

Witnessed Exhibition of the Water Tower

Members of the Lawrence city government, members of the fire department and newspapermen of the down river city, made a trip to this city yesterday to see the workings of the water tower belonging to the local fire department.

Some time ago the board of aldermen of Lawrence voted to purchase a water tower for the fire department, but when the resolution came before Mayor Grant, that official returned the same without his approval. The aldermen thought that the city of Lawrence was in need of a water tower but wished to see the working of the local water tower before going ahead and adopting the resolution over the mayor's disapproval.

The officials communicated with Mayor Howe and Chief Hosmer, of the fire department and both of the local officials informed the Lawrence officials that they would be pleased to explain the workings of the water tower and also the entire fire department system.

The visitors were met at the square by the members of the fire department committee. Aldermen Richard J. McCluskey and James G. Hill and Councilmen C. Fred Hard, W. J. Hayes and Timothy Donohoe, Chief Hosmer, Assistant Chief Norton, Aldermen Gallagher and Casey and many others of the local government. The Lowell people boarded the special car which went up to the new Aiken street extension, where all disembarked.

Here the party was met by His Honor Mayor Howe and several other members of the government, and escorted to the new Aiken street bridge over the north canal, where all was in readiness for a display of the water tower.

The tower was placed on the bridge while on the side was located engines 3 and 6 of the fire department. The hose and all connections were made and for more than an hour the visitors were treated to a rare sight.

The tower under the direction of a squad of firemen from the Palmer street engine house, was raised and lowered with the greatest celerity, the different nozzles were used and the power of the stream and the distance it could be thrown astonished the Lawrence statesmen and especially some of the members of their fire department.

The demonstration was quite successful.

After the exhibition on the Aiken street bridge the visitors were escorted to City hall, where the mayor again received them. They were shown through the various chambers of the municipal building. The Central fire station was next visited, and here again the Lawrence people were surprised to find that our equipment was strictly up to date.

A trip to the ruins and a lunch at the Merrimack House, where the down river gentlemen were the guests of His Honor, Mayor Howe, completed the day's official visit. The party returned about eight to Lawrence.

Among the Lawrence people present were the following: Chief Charles G. Rutter of the fire department, City Clerk C. J. Corcoran, City Auditor R. J. Shea, Maurice Dorgan of the Lawrence American, Timothy Daley of the Lawrence Eagle, First Assistant Chief John W. Towle of the fire department, Electrician Bert Hasty of the fire department, William W. Smith, George H. Richards of the Lawrence Telegram, C. H. Holihan, Aldermen Cusack, Hart, Lacaillade, Viger and Reinap, Councilmen Salisbury, Gay, O'Neil, Finnegan, Dooley, White, Kelliher, Tetler and Knowles, Representative Finn, J. J. Connor of the Lawrence Sunday Register and J. Rodney Ball of the Lawrence Sun. Among the Lowell officials present who have not already been mentioned were Councilmen Frank A. McLaughlin, Samuel Fleming, Edmond Fontaine, President of the Common Council Cecil L. Adams, William Brown, Clerk of Committees F. M. Dowling, Inspector of Wires James McElholm, Superintendent of Public Buildings James B. Conlon, Private Secretary Edwards Cheney, City Messenger Pattee and many newspapermen.

THICK AND FAST

REVERE MAN ARRESTED TWICE WITHIN AN HOUR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

REVERE, Aug. 7.—Thomas H. Roberts was twice arrested within an hour yesterday afternoon. He is the present occupant of the hotel formerly known as the Lincoln house, which was raided lately by the state police. Last year Mr. Oakes, now chief of police, managed the property as the Goodwin Sisters hotel, and previously to that it was run for many years by Roberts.

Yesterday Constable Mugford served a writ of replevin on some goods in the building claimed as the property of the Goodwin Sisters. Chief Oakes and Patrolman McCrystal went with the constable, and their presence in the hotel is said to have angered Roberts.

According to the story told by the officers, Roberts aimed a blow at Oakes' face, which the officer partially dodged. Roberts was arrested and taken to the station charged with assault on an officer.

He obtained bail and returned to the hotel before the constable and other officers had finished their work. More words passed between them, and in a few minutes Roberts was again on the way to the police station charged with disturbing the peace and using profane language. On these charges he is under $250 bonds to appear in the Chelsea court tomorrow morning.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH PICNIC.

The annual picnic of St. Mary's parish of Collinsville will take place tomorrow at Mountain Rock. A good program has been arranged and besides a long list of sports, includes dancing, afternoon and evening, music and other forms of enjoyment.

The admission to the grounds is twenty-five cents.

BASE BALL SPALDING PARK
LEAGUE GAME.
SATURDAY—New Bedford vs. Lowell
Game Called at 3.15 o'clock.
Admission 25c.

THE RACE ISSUE

Prominent Factor in Next Campaign

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7—The evident purpose of many representative democrats of the south to make the race question a leading issue in the next presidential campaign excites much interest among politicians here. The recent race riots in certain northern and western states are regarded by these democrats as indicating a spirit of hostility to the negro, and as an exhibition of race prejudice to which the democrats may successfully appeal in a national political contest. That the republican party would not hesitate to meet such an issue is declared to be certain.

Several well known democratic members of congress from southern states have, within a few days, expressed the opinion that the democrats in the coming session of congress would force the republicans to declare whether they supported the president in his position on the negro question and whether they are the "black man's party in the north as well as in the south." These democratic congressmen, especially those from the border states, assert that what they call the republican affiliation with the negro will lose that party many white voters in the next election. The race question has kept the south solid, they declare, ever since the civil war, and they believe that the issue raised in northern states containing a large percentage of negro population would give the democrats greatly increased strength and a good chance for success in the coming campaign.

In those sections of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Maryland and other states where the black vote is considerable and where clashes have occurred between negroes and whites the democrats will bring forward the argument that the republican party, and especially President Roosevelt, in encouraging and supporting the negro in his renewed activity in political affairs and in the recognition which follows such prominence.

The effect of raising this question, however, in the opinion of many conservative democrats, would be to enlist in behalf of the black man a strong section of the democratic party in the northern states, where the issue would be likely to be repudiated by thoughtful people regardless of party affiliations. The southern democrats are aware of the opposition among the northern leaders of the democratic party to bringing this issue to the front, but they evidently intend to precipitate a debate upon it in congress next winter in the hope of forcing it to the front as a leading question in 1904.

"MAJOR" TAYLOR WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 7—"Major" Taylor last night won the final in the international Criterium cycle race after a fine struggle. Grogna was second, Meyers third and Ellegard fourth.

MANCHESTER MAN DROWNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, Mass., Aug. 7.—Charles Knight, aged 33, was drowned yesterday afternoon by the capsizing of a rowboat in the harbor. Three companions swam ashore.

FREE OUTING FOR CHILDREN.

A free day's outing will be given the children of St. Michael's parish tomorrow at Mountain Rock. Special cars will leave the corner of Bridge and Sixth streets at one o'clock.

Constipation

Its Cause and Cure

Cathartics and Purgatives Soon Lose Their Effect and Do More Harm Than Good.

Nature has provided only one way to get food into the system.

The necessity of getting rid of the waste products, poisons if they remain—is emphasized by the fact that she has provided four ways to get rid of them.

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STRUCK BY CAR

One Member of Picnic Party Killed

By Associated Press to The Sun

SHARON, Pa., Aug. 7.—While returning from a picnic last evening a trolley car on the Youngstown and Sharon Electric line ran into a car ahead, killing on man and more or less seriously injuring about 20 others. The dead:

JOSEPH BEES, aged 65, of Sharon, crushed to death.

The more seriously injured are:
Archibald Lotten.
Mrs. E. Sheasley.
Miss Zella Cooper.
Mrs. Arthur Redford.
Miss Maggie Gammil.
Motorman Hays.
Carl Peters.
Lizzie Minchel, all of Sharpsville, and Elmer Ross of Sharon.

The car, which carried about 100 passengers, was returning from a church picnic at Youngstown. It was running as a special, following the regular car at a short distance. When about [illegible] miles from this city the rope holding the trolley on the regular broke, it was while repairs were being made that the special crashed into the car completely telescoping it. The dead and injured were brought to this city.

TRAIN WENT BACK

SOME PASSENGERS SAID A MAN HAD BEEN KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 7.—The trainmen on the morning express for Worcester were given a scare about four miles from this city yesterday.

Several of the passengers thought they saw a man thrown from the train and roll down an embankment. A mild panic ensued, and the conductor was speedily notified.

Before the train could be stopped it had proceeded nearly a mile beyond the scene of the supposed accident.

The return was hurriedly made, and the "dead man" proved to be a piece of rubber hose five feet long and six inches in diameter, which had fallen from the locomotive.

Those who were first to notify the conductor of the "accident" were not seeking any laurels for their promptness after this discovery.

Lowell, Friday, August 7, 1903

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17c A YARD for Mercerized Cheviots and Silk Ginghams, which come to us in short lengths, some slightly imperfect, regular price 50c.

PALMER STREET, CENTRE AISLE.

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3 PAIRS 25c for Half Hose, all black and black and white. These are slightly imperfect or they'd be 25c a pair.

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59c EACH for our Screen Doors, regular prices 75c and 98c
89c EACH for our Screen Doors, regular prices $1.25 and $1.69. (Be sure and bring the measure of your door)—no doors exchanged.
$1.98 EACH for White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers, 3 quart size, regular price $2.39.
$2.19 EACH for the 4 quart size, regular price $2.79.
$2.79 EACH for the 6 quart size, regular price $3.39.
$1.49 EACH for Arctic Ice Cream Freezers, regular $1.98, 3 quart size.
$1.79 EACH for the 4 quart size, regular price $2.49.
$2.29 EACH for the 6 quart size, regular price $2.98.
$1.00 EACH for our $1.50 Hammocks.
$1.49 EACH for our $2.00 Hammocks.
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39c A DOZEN for our Mason Fruit Jars, pint size, regular price 59c.
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59c A DOZEN for the 2 quart size, regular price 79c.
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TOUGH OLD GAME

Rain Made the Ball Soggy and Dead

And Fall River Objected to Using a Whitewashed Sphere —Lowell Won in a Game Full of Trouble

Four hundred dead game sports sat through a rain storm yesterday at Spalding park and saw a game that made them tired. The game was full of growls and in the sixth inning when Yeager was benched for throwing a ball over the grand stand, Weddidge got sore and pitched the remainder of the game himself, making a farce out of it.

The trouble was all over the balls. The rain made them soggy and dead and while it was as fair for one side as for the other to use them, Fall River objected to them. Then Lowell tried the ridiculous scheme of whitening the soggy balls and it was one of those retouched balls that Yeager threw over the grand stand.

It was Umpire Webster's first appearance and he ran the game beautifully and would take no talk from the players. But he gave all close decisions against the runner. He'll probably do, though.

The game in detail:

Jott opened with a single across second on the second ball pitched. Warren bunted to McKenna who threw Jott out at second. Weddidge got a single. A single by Bowcock scored Warren. O'Hara fanned out, likewise Lawrence. For Lowell, Hafford hit a foul fly to Warren. Bigbie hit over second base for a single. Hickey flied to Ball in left field. Bigbie stole second prettily. Merritt flied to O'Hara.

Second inning: Moorehead opened with a single. Ball bunted to Hafford who made a bad throw to second and both were safe. Yeager bunted to Hafford and this time Frank threw right and Ball went out at second. Jott flied to Bigbie and Moorehead beat the ball home. Warren went out Cross to Lake. Lake got first on Warren's fumble and Ball misjudged Grant's fly giving him a two bagger. McLaughlin got in a single that scored both men while Benny got second on Lawrence's fumble of the ball at the plate. Connors advanced Barney with a sacrifice. Cross fanned out, Hafford foul flied to Weddidge.

Score, Two up.

Third inning: Weddidge sent a fly out to Bigbie. Bowcock went out on a grounder to McLaughlin. O'Hara hit a hot one to Hafford causing him to drop it and pick it up again. It looked as if O'Hara beat the ball out at first but Webster called him out.

For Lowell Bigbie sent a dandy to left for two bagges. Hickey scored him with a single to right. Then came a funny play. Merritt bunted intending to sacrifice. Yeager fumbled the ball and Weddidge went out and got it while Bowcock covered first. But Weddidge threw wild and Merritt got to second. Lake struck out. Grant went out, Warren to Weddidge while Hickey scored and McLaughlin closed the inning, Warren to Weddidge.

Score, Lowell 4, Fall River 2.

Fourth inning: Lawrence hit to McLaughlin and died at first, so did Moorehead on a close decision. Ball hit to Lake, who threw bad to Cross at first and Ball was safe. Ball stole second, McLaughlin making a pretty catch of a bad throw. Yeager went out, Hickey to Lake.

For Lowell, Connors hit to Warren and died at first. Cross flied to O'Hara in deep center. Hafford foul flied to Weddidge.

Fifth inding: Jott flied to Hickey. Warren got a single. He tried to steal and was caught a mile. Weddidge hit to Hafford and died at first.

For Lowell, Bigbie flied to Jott. Hickey drew a base on balls. Merritt fanned and Lake went out, Bowcock to Weddidge.

Sixth inning:

Bowcock was an easy out, Cross to Lake. O'Hara struck out. Lawrence popped a foul fly to Lake.

For Lowell Grant flied to O'Hara.

At this point a kick ensued over the balls used. There were pretty dead but immaculately white, having been whitened. Fall River kicked on the whitened ball and Yeager, making a bluff to pitch threw the ball over the grand stand and out of the grounds. Umpire Webster immediately put Yeager out of the game. Weddidge after a big kick went in to pitch himself and Joe Courneen, the pitcher, went on first. When Weddidge had pitched one ball it was discovered that the ball was ripped and then Lake produced two new balls. After this the game proceeded. McLaughlin flied to Ball and Connors died, Moorehead to Courneen.

Seventh inning: Moorehead flied to Bigbie, Ball flied to Cross, Courneen retired from the game and Ricelus went to bat and made a single. Jott drew a base and got second on a passed ball. Warren fanned out.

For Lowell, Cross got a swift pitched ball in the back and took first. Hafford drew his base. Bigbie advanced both with a sacrifice. Hickey scored both with a hit, Merritt to Warren forcing Hickey at second. Lake drew a base and the crowd begged Weddidge to put in a pitcher, Grant went out, Warren to Ricelus.

Score, Lowell 8; Fall River 2.

Eighth inning: Weddidge opened with a hit and stole second, Bowcock flied to Hickey. O'Hara hit a high drive with steam on it that Hafford pulled down but couldn't hold. Lawrence hit a grounder to Lake who tried for a double play at second. But he threw wild to second and Weddidge scored while O'Hara started for third. McLaughlin threw wild to third and O'Hara scored. Moorehead got a bunt single and Ball struck out.

For Lowell, McLaughlin hit to deep left and got third on Ball's excusable fumble. Connors went out, Moorehead to Ricelus. Cross made a pretty two-bagger to the left field fence scoring Barney. Hafford and Bigbie retired on flies to Moorehead and O'Hara.

Ninth inning: Ricelus foul flied to Hafford and Jott and Warren retired on flies to Grant. The score:

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Hafford 3b	4	1	0	0	1	3	1
Bigbie lf	4	1	2	3	3	0	0
Hickey 2b	3	1	2	3	2	1	0
Hickey 2b	3	1	2	2	2	1	0
Lake 1b	3	1	0	0	10	0	2
Grant m	4	1	1	2	2	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	1	1	1	3	3	1
Connors rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
McKenna p	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Cross p	3	1	1	2	1	2	0
Totals	31	7	7	10	27	11	4

FALL RIVER.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Jott rf	4	0	1	1	1	0	0
Warren 3b	5	1	1	1	1	5	1
Weddidge lb, p.	4	1	2	2	7	0	1
Bowcock 2b	4	0	1	1	1	1	0
O'Hara m	4	1	1	1	4	0	0
Lawrence c	4	0	0	0	3	0	1
Moorehead ss.	4	1	2	2	1	2	0
Ball lf	3	0	0	0	2	0	1
Yeager p	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Courneen lb	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Ricelus lb	2	0	1	1	3	0	0
Totals	36	4	9	9	24	9	5

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lowell	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	1	*—7
Fall River	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0—4

Summary: Lowell 3, Fall River. Two base hits, Bigbie, Cross. Stolen bases, Bigbie, Weddidge, Ball. Sacrifice hits, Bigbie, Merritt, Connors, Ball. Bases on balls, off Cross, off Yeacher, off Weddidge 2. Struck out, by McKenna 2, by Cross 3, by Yeager 3. Left on bases, Lowell 7, Fall River 7. First on errors, Lowell 2, Fall River 2. Hit by pitched ball, Cross. Passed ball, Merritt. Time, 1.45. Umpire, Webster. Attendance, 400.

NASHUA 2; HAVERHILL 1.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 7.—Haverhill was defeated yesterday afternoon in a closely contested game. Voorhees pitched a great game and tied the score in the third inning on a strike out. Graham, Ashenbach and Sheets made sensational running catches while Jordan's hitting was a feature.

Score by innings:—

Nashua	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 x—2
Haverhill	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Earned runs—Nashua 2. Two base hits—Pastor, McLean, Dupee. Three base hit—Jordan. Stolen bases—Jordan, Voorhees.

Double plays—Graham and Soffel; Dupee, Kelly and Murphy. First base on balls—By Voorhees 2, by Dupee 2. Hit by pitched balls—Pastor, Ashenbach. Struck out—By Voorhees 5, by Dupee 1. Time—1.30. Umpire—Sullivan. Attendance—500.

NEW BEDFORD 1, CONCORD 0.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 7.—With two out in the ninth inning, a two base hit by Burrill and a single by Murphy, gave New Bedford the only run scored in the game with the locals yesterday afternoon. Greene and Josslyn were the opposing pitchers and the latter's work was the feature of the game.

Score by innings:

New Bedford	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1

Earned run—New Bedford. Two base hits—Burrill, Noblitt. Stolen base—Joyce. Double play—Josslyn and Stroh. Stroh and Murphy. First base on balls—Off Josslyn 1, off Greene 1. Hit by pitched ball—Pulsifer. Struck out—By Josslyn 2, by Green 6. Time—1.30. Umpire—Jordan. Attendance—200.

OTHER GAMES.

AMERICAN:—

At Philadelphia—Athletics 4; Boston 3.

At Washington—New York 4, Washington 0.

At Chicago—Chicago 5, St. Louis 1.

At Cleveland—Detroit 7, Cleveland 6.

NATIONAL:—

At St. Louis—Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 3.

At Boston—Boston-Brooklyn game postponed (rain).

EASTERN:—

At Rochester—Rochester-Providence postponed on account of wet grounds.

At Baltimore—Baltimore-Montreal postponed, wet grounds.

At Buffalo—Buffalo 5, Jersey City 0.

NEW ENGLAND STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	48	29	.623
Nashua	46	32	.590
Lowell	46	33	.582
Concord	42	32	.571
Fall River	37	40	.481
New Bedford	33	41	.446
Lawrence	31	46	.403
Haverhill	21	52	.288

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	60	31	.659
Chicago	57	39	.594
New York	51	36	.586
Cincinnati	48	44	.522
Brooklyn	41	46	.477
Boston	36	49	.424
St. Louis	34	58	.370
Philadelphia	31	58	.348

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	56	31	.622
Philadelphia	54	37	.593
Cleveland	46	43	.517
New York	43	41	.512
Detroit	44	43	.500
Chicago	41	47	.466
St. Louis	40	48	.455
Washington	29	60	.326

GAMES TODAY.

Haverhill at Lowell.
New Bedford at Manchester.
Fall River at Nashua.
Lawrence at Concord, two games.

DIAMOND NOTES.

Pitcher Vail has jumped Nashua.

Either McKenna or Bushey today.

Tommy Burbage has been released by Fall River.

Stackpole has not appeared in New Bedford up to date.

Umpire Webster used to catch for Portland long ago. He's over seven.

Hamilton has been offered $450 to finish the season in New Bedford.

Two games tomorrow with New Bedford.

The T. R. & T.'s will meet the crack Ballardvale team at North Billerica tomorrow and will have to hustle to win.

AMATEUR DIAMOND.

The Hudsons would like to arrange games with teams under 13 years.

The Little White Rabbits defeated the Whipples by a score of 16 to 15 in a ten inning game. They made a clean sweep and after the game was over they mopped the streets with them. The line up is as follows: D. Trainor c, William Dwyer p, Freddie Mulvey 1b, T. O'Keefe 2b, J. Moloney lf, J. Gill 3b, K. Moloney cf, A. Wiley rf. We would like to play them for a quarter ball Saturday afternoon.

Send our challenges to Freddie Mulvey, 48 Whipple street.

HELD IN $1000

FOR FRAUDULENT USE OF THE MAILS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 7—L. E. Holloway of this city was arrested yesterday charged with fraudulent use of the mails. He pleaded not guilty when arraigned before Commissioner John L. Rice, and was held in $1000 bonds. Holloway represented himself to be the president of the Highland Loan and Trust company, which had deposited $25,000 with the Home Publishing association for prizes to be given to persons who made the nearest correct guess on the receipts of the Springfield post office. Holloway admitted that he was the association and the trust company.

BEY ESCAPED

NOTORIOUS KURDISH CHIEF IS AT LARGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7—A letter from Yedda dated July 21 reports that the notorious Kurdish chief, Moussa Bey, who was responsible for many of the Armenian outrages, has escaped from Medina with several other Kurdish chiefs, where they have been living in exile, and that all attempts to intercept them have failed.

Moussa Bey figured extensively during the Armenian troubles in 1894-5. He wounded Bey, Mr. Knapp, an American missionary, in 1896 and despite the evidence against him, was acquitted. The United States minister and the American missionaries resented the verdict and to appease them the sultan exiled him to Medina.

FRED. VAN RENSSELAER DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7—Frederick Harold Van Rensselaer, a member of the old New York family of that name, died yesterday at Long Branch, L. I., where Mr. and Mrs. Van Rensselaer were spending the summer. He succumbed to an attack of cerebro meningitis, from which he has been suffering for some time. He was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John King Van Rensselaer of this city. He has been prominent in New York and Newport society and was a graduate of Yale. In April of 1898 he married Miss Lucy Josephine Grinnell, the daughter of the late Robert Minturn Grinnell, and a niece of James J. Van Alen.

INTERNAL COMMERCE

FIRST HALF OF THIS YEAR COMPARATIVELY CONSIDERED.

Internal commerce conditions in the United States as reported by the department of commerce and labor through its bureau statistics show that the first half of the current year compares favorably with the corresponding period in 1902 or 1901. With a few exceptions the volume of trade thus far this year equalled, if not exceeded, that of last year, though occasionally falling below the high level of 1901. There is no evidence of a general recession in commercial activities, corresponding to the extraordinary shrinkage in speculative values.

Western staples for this year have gained materially over last year, receipts of live stock at five markets having amounted to 15,126,561 head, compared with 14,068,345 head in the first six months of 1902 and 15,710,300 head in 1901. The numerical decrease from 1901 occurred in hogs, which have been averaging equal to, or heavier than in 1901, and much heavier than in 1902. Coincident with this, the trend of prices for hogs has been downward. The price at Chicago on July 1 was $5.79 per hundred, against $7.61 a year ago.

Wheat receipts at eight interior markets for the crop year ending June 30, 1903, were 236,675,669 bushels, compared with $21,766,387 bushels in 1902 and 217,058,743 bushels in 1901.

The total shipments of provisions from Chicago and Chicago points for the first 26 weeks of 1903 were 621,138 tons, against 653,217 tons in the same period of 1902 and 566,029 tons in 1901. Shipments of flour from Minneapolis were 8,379,625 barrels, 7,683,708 barrels, and 7,218,721 barrels, respectively. Six months' shipments of grain from Buffalo by rail were 44,453,900 bushels in 1903, 37,259,404 bushels in 1902, and 59,098,624 bushels in 1901.

On the Great Lakes the tonnage of coastwise traffic shipped from ports reporting to the end of June this year has totaled 20,113,227 tons, compared with 19,439,458 tons and 12,621,977 tons in 1901. Coal tonnage for the half year amounted to 7,833,809 tons, of which 5,500,936 was shipped to domestic ports, and 2,332,873 tons to foreign points. Domestic iron ore shipments were 7,936,177 tons, of which 3,922,074 tons were shipped in June. The registered tonnage for six months this year in the domestic trade of the lakes reached 25,570,757 net tons compared with 25,342,698 net tons in 1902. The freight tonnage via the Sault Ste Marie canals was 11,944,934 tons in 1903, 11,486,501 tons in 1902, and 6,767,120 tons in 1901.

At the North Atlantic seaboard grain receipts including flour reduced to bushels, were as follows for six months:

New York 62,053,740 bushels in 1903 and 48,831,490 bushels in 1902 Boston 16,867,234 bushels in 1903 and 13,876,398 bushels in 1902; Philadelphia 20,442,659 bushels in 1903 and 16,865,078 bushels in 1902; Baltimore 16,190,924 bushels in 1903 and 16,069,077 bushels in 1902. Officially inspected receipts at the port of Portland, Me., totaled 6,906,879 bushels, of which 1,653,193 bushels were of American origin and 5,153,686 bushels of Canadian origin.

Figures of coastwise shipments of coal are available for five months from the four ports of New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Newport News. In this period New York has reported 8,073,714 tons shipped, Philadelphia 2,258,331 tons, Baltimore 673,962 tons, and Newport News 769,806. Receipts of coal at Boston in six months this year were 3,056,972 tons compared with 2,177,732 tons in 1902.

In southern territory the cotton crop movement covers the first ten months of the current commercial year. Out of a total available supply of 10,739,877 bales, 7,660,716 bales were port receipts, 1,064,140 bales overland shipments and 1,813,600 bales shipments to southern mills. The total American spinners' takings were 3,899,127 bales, compared with 3,727,787 bales in 1902 and 3,245,659 bales in 1901. New Orleans shipped 21,914,545 bushels of grain, including flour reduced to bushels, in the first six months of 1903, and 5,945,109 bushels in 1902. Galveston's figures were 9,713,131 bushels and 1,178,786 bushels respectively.

On the Pacific coast 115,284,134 feet of redwood lumber were shipped from California point in the first six months, compared with 110,784,276 feet in 1902, and 102,218,403 feet in 1901. Citrus fruit shipments from Southern California for 35 week were 19,860 cars to July 2nd, 1903, 15,316 cars in 1902, and 22,357 cars in 1901. The cargo tonnage movement at Tacoma for this half year amounted to 511,882 tons and 714,805 tions for the first half of 1902.

River and canal traffic covers the Monongahela river, on which 5,228,856 tons were reported this half year against 4,677,587 tons in 1902; at Louisville, Kentucky, 1,161,571 tons and 1,110,930 tons respectively. The New York state canals report a tonnage to the end of June this year, of 1,031,130 tons, 902,098 tons in 1902 and 915,732 tons in 1901.

Anthracite coal shipments aggregated 31,984,952 tons for six months in 1903, 18,731,880 tons in 1902 and 27,435,952 tons in 1901.

RAISING POSTAL ORDERS

SHE MADE A CONFESSION OF HER CRIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 6.—Annie E. Shapley, who was arrested in New York and brought to this city to answer the charge of raising United States postal orders and subsequently held for trial today, made a confession. She said her operations had been carried on since May 25 and that the New York city, Trenton, Newark, Yonkers, Brooklyn, New Rochelle, Bound Brook, N. J., and other post offices in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania had been victimized by the raising of postal orders.

She also confessed to having given Joseph McNell of this city a worthless check for $350 and also obtaining $600 from Annie E. Lawrence of Wilmington, Del., under false pretences.

GENERAL LOCKOUT

1400 JEWELRY WORKERS WILL BE IDLE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—A general lockout affecting more than 1400 jewelry workers was decided on yesterday at a meeting of the New York manufacturing jewelers' association on account of demands by the New York local of the International Jewelry Workers' unions. The lockout will go into effect Saturday.

It is asserted that the union has been trying to get a rule established by which a man must pay his dues or be discharged from employment.

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ONLY TWO SAVED

Five Members of Crew Were Lost

BARGE FLORRIE SUNK OFF FIRE ISLAND

Ten Year Old Boy Among the Victims

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 7—Tug Boswell arrived here yesterday afternoon from Norfolk towing barge Emily.

The tug had on board Captain Cobb and a deck hand, the sole survivors, of seven persons on board barge Florrie, which was in the tow and which went down between Barnegate and Fire Island early Wednesday morning. Those drowned were Mrs. Cobb, the captain's wife; a 10-year-old son, a boy named Jones who was making the trip with the captain, the engineer and cook of the barge, names unknown.

About 11.30 Tuesday night the Florrie lost her deck house aft, which was swept away in the terrible seas encountered. The barge signalled the tug, which slowed down, but in a very few moments she went down stern foremost, and Captain Cobb had just time to seize the two boys, one under each arm, who stood beside him in the pilot house.

Mrs. Cobb, the engineer and cook were all below and were carried down with the sinking barge.

The waves tore Captain Cobb's hold from the two boys, who were swept away. Captain Cobb and the deck hand clung to a hatch and were rescued more dead than alive in about half an hour by the tug.

The tug sailed Wednesday afternoon for Boston with the survivors on board. The Florrie was bound to Providence with 2069 tons of coal.

GEN. GILLESPIE

WILL BE HEAD OF BOARD OF FORTIFICATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7—General Gillespie, chief of engineers, will be designated president of the board of ordnance and fortification on the retirement of General Miles.

THIRD READING

FOR THE SUGAR CONVENTION BILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 7—In the house of commons after James Bryce (liberal) and Charles Wentworth Dilke (advanced radical) and others had vigorously denounced the sugar convention bill as a protectionist measure, the bill was passed to a third reading by a vote of 199 to 57.

KANSAS RIVER RISING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAWRENCE, Kas., Aug. 7.—As a result of the heavy fall of rain here Wednesday night the Kansas river has risen about three feet during the past 12 hours. The current is swift and has undermined the north approach to the wagon bridge, and continues to eat away the north bank.

ST. LOUIS MAN

FAILED TO EXPLORE COURSE OF BLUE NILE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 7.—A special dispatch from Jibutil, a French port on the gulf of Aden, announces the arrival there from Ades Abeba, the capital of Abyssinia, of W. N. McMillan of St. Louis, who recently failed in his attempts to explore the course of the Blue Nile owing to his punts being wrecked on the rocks in the river. McMillan declared that he would begin again in six months the study of the navigability of the Blue Nile. He proceeded to Ades from Jibutil.

BRIDGE SWEPT AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

JUNCTION CITY, Kas., Aug. 7.—An inch and a half of rain here Wednesday night caused the Smokey Hill river to rise rapidly and it now is over ten feet. A 180-foot temporary bridge here that took the place of one of the bridges that was washed away by the flood in May, was swept away last night and the only remaining bridge across the river in this county is in great danger.

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10 stamps with 1 lb. 20c Coffee.
5 stamps with 1 lb. 18c Butterine.
5 stamps with 1 lb. 14c Force.
Corned Beef . . 3c to 6c lb.
Smoked Shoulders....10c lb.
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IN THE BASEMENT

We haven't mentioned this department to you in a long time but today we have a very unusual offer; a new blend of Tea we propose to sell you in the future. We have named it the

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A Story Suggesting Great Scientific Possibilities

A WIRELESS MESSAGE

By . . . JAMES RAYMOND PERRY

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IT was in the smoking compartment of a Pullman, on a journey from New York to Chicago, that I met him. I had just finished reading in a magazine an article upon Marconi's achievement in wireless telegraphy, and, raising my eyes, I saw that the stranger was glancing down at the magazine page.

"A remarkable achievement, sir," I said. "Have you read this article?"

"On Marconi? Yes," the stranger replied.

"It seems almost past belief," I said, "that a message could be sent across the sea without the aid of wires; yet Marconi seems to have accomplished it, unless, possibly, the three ticks he heard were the result of accident, and the fact of that particular signal having been prearranged may have been only one of those singular coincidences that now and then astonish us."

The stranger removed the cigar from his lips and said: "No, the sounds Marconi heard are not to be classed among the accidental and coincidental. It was a real signal sounded by his assistants in England and received by him in St. John's. I entertain not the slightest doubt of that."

He spoke with conviction. Pulling at his cigar until the end glowed again he continued, "I might have had doubts had I not previously heard and seen things achieved along similar lines far more wonderful than Marconi's feat."

Seeing that he paused, I said: "You interest me. May I ask what those achievements were?"

For a moment the stranger was silent. Then he said: "You are aware, of course, that the vibratory theory—the theory of etheric waves—is not new. The idea that all planetary bodies, our earth included, are imbedded in what the magazine article somewhat aptly describes as ether jelly—the jelly of space—is an idea which Marconi has made use of, but did not originate. What he attempted—and has succeeded in doing—was to jar the 'jelly' and register the jars. While giving him full credit for the Columbuslike daring of his thought, I will say that that achievement alone was not difficult.

"For more than a dozen years I have been engaged in an attempt to establish wireless communication between distant points. Marconi was scarcely in his teens when I began, and if I have progressed farther than he in this study it is not necessarily to my credit. In all scientific research time is the principal factor—the great perfector.

"When the ultimate discovery in this direction shall have been made and the last word concerning it uttered, it will probably be found that the suspected but hitherto unproved fourth dimension had no small part in the great discovery. However, it is not my intention to go into that phase of the question now.

"Have you ever happened to hear the statement—seemingly incredible—that

"MAY I ASK WHAT THOSE ACHIEVEMENTS WERE?"

the slightest motion anywhere—the lift of an insect's wing, for example—starts a wave motion that does not die until it has reached and affected, to some extent, the innermost core of the outermost star of the universe?"

"I think not—I'm not sure, though—but I have in my readings run across some such hint. Probably I did not credit it. An effect so remote from a cause so slight must be very small indeed."

"To our senses inconceivably infinitesimal—yes. However, I am of those who believe it is so. So sensitive is this ether jelly in which the universe rests that when it is jarred at all it is all jarred. The half flutter of an insect's wing and the explosion of a star in outer space both set the waves in motion, and the one wave travels as far as the other.

"I wonder if you fully grasp the import of my words when I say that the innermost core of the outermost star is affected. The object mentioned is so remote that perhaps one might lose the application of its meaning. Let us, therefore, bring the subject nearer home. If the innermost core of the remotest star is affected, then of course must also be affected the innermost cores of all other stellar and planetary bodies. Among these our earth is of course included, and though in reality it is a far less wonderful fact perhaps to our finite minds it seems quite as wonderful to know that the wave set in motion by the flutter of the insect's wing is felt at the innermost core of our own earth; or, to draw into still narrower limits, it seems marvelous that this ash that I am knocking from my cigar sets in motion waves that vibrate across London, Paris, Berlin, St. Petersburg, that the words I am uttering cause waves that vibrate in Melbourne and Peking.

"May I ask you which invention seems to you the more wonderful—the telegraph or the telephone?"

"The telephone," I answered unhesitatingly.

"To me also," said the stranger. "The telephone is personal, the telegraph impersonal; therefore the range of imagination about the former is immeasurably wider. Possibly I am more imaginative than Marconi, or perhaps it was only accident. At all events he seems to have worked with the telegraph in mind, while through all my labors my imagination was dominated by the telephone.

"Now when a telegraph message from New York to Chicago is ticked off the wire nothing has really passed across those thousand miles of space. The ether jelly has been jarred in New York and the jars have been recorded and read in Chicago. So with the long distance telephone the voice itself has not been carried on an electric current across all those miles; but again the jelly was jarred, and the sensitive eardrum, aided by transmitter and receiver, has heard the vibrations. In both instances the wire has made an easy road for the vibration to travel over; but it does not follow that the road was necessary. One can pass across fields as well as along asphaltum walks. Marconi and others have realized this; only most of the others, Marconi included, have made the error of supposing you must go over fields and mountains, not through them. Yet the path lies through them as easily and naturally as over them, and herein is involved, in a manner, the fourth dimension, an explanation of which, however, we need not enter into in order to understand the operation of ether vibrations. I have spoken of the earth and the planetary bodies as being imbedded in the ether jelly. For our purpose let us alter the simile a little. Let us imagine a mass of colorless jelly with here and there a drop of chromatic fluid, forming, say, little crimson globes at intervals. Let us imagine now that the colorless portion represents the ether and the colored spheres the so called solid bodies—our earth and the other planets. The simile is necessarily crude and inexact, but it will serve. Now, while those bits of color are imbedded in the mass of jelly, they are, nevertheless, jelly, like the rest of the mass. Jar the jelly, and other and planets are both jarred by the same motion, the innermost point of the colored globe being sensitive to the motion as well as the surface which comes in contact with the colorless portion. In this way we may perceive dimly how a wave motion—the uplift of an insect's wing or a thousand tons of exploding dynamite—shall reach the earth's core and the heart of the outermost star.

"In other words we are assuming that all material things are of essentially the same composition as the ether. Of course they are not—at least to our senses—but so far as my observation of the operation of these ether vibrations goes they are the same in

"WHICH INVENTION SEEMS TO YOU THE MORE WONDERFUL?"

that the so called solid bodies offer no slightest resistance to the progress of the waves. Progress is not quite the right word, but I have to use it. Thus, an ether wave traveling, say, from Venus to Mars, would not break upon the earth and pass around, as a sea wave might break upon a rock, but would pass directly through the earth, impeded by its presence no more than if no solid body had been in its path. Or, to draw the scale down to small proportions, I hold my hand up—so—and the waves set in motion by my words vibrate to you through my hand as freely as they do above, below and on either side of it. The hand might be a bar of steel, or for that matter a section of twenty inch armor plate. The vibration would pass through it and not seek an easier way around it. If there were an easier way around it, no doubt it would seek it, as the sea wave does at the rock, but to go around is not any easier for the ether wave. It knows no 'easy' and no 'hard,' because what seem to us obstacles in its path to it are nothing. Edgar Poe, in his 'Eureka,' was not so far astray from the truth as has been supposed, though errors—inevitable in guesswork or intuitive work like his—materially lessen the value of his conclusions.

"Marconi clearly misconceived the operation of these ether vibrations. That is, he presumed them to be subject to obstruction. Hence, he established lofty stations for setting in motion the waves and flew kites high in air to catch them as they passed a distant point; whereas he might have accomplished the same results on level plains or in deep canyons. His error was in supposing the vibrations passed around the earth—like sea waves around the rock—instead of through it. When that signal from overseas reached him it was in his thought that the waves that brought it had come over the earth's curvature, though in reality they had vibrated through it in the straightest possible path. Had he been at a point antipodal to the transmitting station the waves would have vibrated to him from directly under his feet, and a wire sunk in an artesian well would have served as well as a kite flying in air. The tremor of an earthquake travels in precisely the same way—from any one spot in the earth to any and every other spot in the straightest line.

"I admit that when the thought is new it seems difficult to believe the ether waves pass through solid bodies as freely as through thin air. But that is because we understand so imperfectly the nature of the vibrations. Why shouldn't they pass through them freely? By aid of the X ray sight passes freely through an opaque solid. I mention the X ray merely because it is of recent discovery, is novel in its workings, and yet has won popular belief for itself through its demonstrability. It would be quite as much to the point, however, and far more apt by way of illustration, for me to cite a plate glass window or a crystal globe. Both are very solid to the sense, yet they furnish no obstacle to the passage of sight. I don't pretend to say that etheric waves vibrate through solids in precisely the same way that sight passes through a plate of clear glass; not at all. But after such an illustration I fancy you will not find the other idea quite so unbelievable.

"I have gone into an explanation of these etheric vibrations at some length because without some knowledge of them you would probably find it difficult to credit the rest I have to tell.

"As the writer of that magazine article states, quite the most wonderful achievement of Marconi is what he calls the 'tuning' of the vibrations. I fancy that in this his invention—discovery perhaps I should call it—differs very little from my own. I have called it 'timing' instead of tuning. I transmit a sound at the rate, we will say, of 12,000,000 vibrations a second. If my receiver is adjusted, or 'timed,' to 11,999,000 vibrations per second, or to 12,001,000 vibrations, the receiver remains unresponsive; but if I time the receiver to 12,000,000 vibrations—or any number of vibrations exactly corresponding to the rate of transmission—the receiver instantly responds and the transmitted sounds are received."

"The transmitted sounds!" I ejaculated.

"Yes. I see you are surprised; but really it is not so remarkable. You place a telephone receiver to your ear

"I PLACED THE RECEIVER TO MY EAR."

and hear the voice of some person a hundred or a thousand miles away, and experience no particular wonder. You know the sounds have reached you over the electrical wire road and believe they could not have reached you otherwise; but don't you see you are still clinging to the thought that asphaltum walks are the only paths a man can travel over and are ignoring open fields? If a man 'cuts across lots' he may reach you quicker and more easily than if he comes around on the asphaltum walk. The same is imaginably true of the telephone wire.

"For a dozen years I have been working on an invention which embodies this idea of wireless telephony. Six months ago my invention was practically perfected. If I were to go into a detailed description of it—which I am not going to do—you perhaps would not understand me, unless you possess unusual knowledge of the science of sounds. I will say, however, that the invention is composed of a transmitter and a receiver, having some of the features of the ordinary telephone transmitter and receiver, and, necessarily, several added features; and, broadly speaking, the invention is based upon the law of etheric vibrations—the subject which I have just been discussing. It is a fundamental law, like the law of gravity, or, like that other law—not yet generally recognized, but which is involved in the fourth dimension—the law of levity.

"I made no public announcement of my invention while in its imperfected stages, because if I failed I did not care to endure the ridicule of the more—so called—practical scientists. I had but one confidant, and that a woman. You think a woman cannot keep a secret? Well, she kept one of the greatest secrets science has yet tried to conceal.

"Six months ago my invention was as nearly perfect as I could make it. Our first test was made in Chicago—between the north and south sides. Our success was all that we had hoped for. Then I took with me to New York the receiver—I had completed but one receiver and one transmitter—leaving my assistant in Chicago with the transmitter. The result of the test made between those two cities was also successful. But I was not yet ready to announce my invention. I wanted to first make a supreme test of it, and so I journeyed to Calcutta, and there installing my receiver I cabled to my assistant that I was ready. On a certain day, at a certain hour, she was to go to the transmitter and there repeat to me a message. While in New York she had sent me inclosed with another letter a sealed envelope. 'I will repeat to you,' she wrote, 'when you reach Calcutta, a certain message. After hearing it from the receiver, break the seal of this envelope and you will find within the message which I will utter. Then you will know there has been no mistake.'

"Near midnight in Calcutta, at a moment corresponding to exactly noon in Chicago, I placed the receiver to my ear, and then and there with no wire connecting transmitter and receiver I heard repeated as distinctly as you have ever heard a voice by telephone this message: 'This is Josephine. It is my voice that you hear. I am in Chicago. It is noon.' Breaking the seal of the envelope, I then read in my assistant's familiar handwriting this message: 'This is Josephine. It is my voice that you hear. I am in Chicago. It is noon.'

"After that she told me many things, but I could only listen and not answer. I could receive a message, but could not transmit one.

"The voice of my assistant was vibrated to me through nearly eight thousand miles of solid earth. Incredible as it sounds it yet was really nothing. Had she been stationed on Mars with my transmitter her voice would have reached me just the same. It would have reached me the same from the sun, or from Sirius, or from the remotest star in the universe—only it would have been longer coming. A wave once started radiates through all space.

"I am on my way to Chicago now, where I shall construct a second transmitter and receiver. With these completed I shall repeat the tests and then announce to the world my invention.

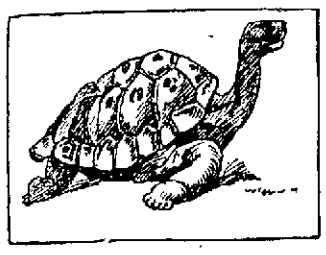
"We are nearing our destination, I perceive. Thanking you, sir, for your polite attention, I will bid you good day." He tossed away his cigar stump and left the compartment, nodding good naturedly in response to my bow.

A ROUND TABLE FOR JUVENILE READERS

TORTOISES FROM THE GALAPAGOS ISLANDS

. . . . . By ALBERTA PLATT

WHAT animal is it that has its skeleton outside of its body? There are several species of such creatures, including lobsters, crabs and the various shellfish. But the largest living thing that walks inside of its skeleton is the giant tortoise, especially that of the Galapagos



GALAPAGOS TORTOISES.

islands. Look on the map and you will find this island group under the equator, 500 miles west of the coast of Ecuador, to which country it belongs. The name Galapagos means tortoise in Spanish, and when the western continent was discovered there were literally acres of huge land tortoises in the islands. An explorer, writing of the abundance of these monsters in another locality, upon Rodriguez island, in 1691, says, "There are such plenty of land turtles in this isle that sometimes you see a three thousand of them in a flock, so that you may go a hundred paces upon their backs."

One of these huge tortoises, or turtles, yields 200 pounds of choice meat for food to man. They used to swarm all over the earth in what is called the tertiary geological period, long before the time known to history. But when man came on the scene he began to eat them. Then they disappeared rapidly from the mainland of the continents. Now there are scarcely any left anywhere, the largest number of them being found in the Galapagos islands. The reason they still exist there is that the islands are so dry and sterile few human beings can stay there.

Tortoises belong to the reptile family. About fifty years ago Charles Darwin, the great naturalist, visited Chatham island, one of the Galapagos group, and made a study of the giant tortoises. When he landed from his ship and went toward the interior of the island he was surprised to see broad tracks or roads leading from the lowlands toward the higher country. The tracks were as smooth and well laid off as if they had been made by people. Darwin, who had trained himself to observe closely everything he saw, asked what made these tracks. He was told they were tortoise roads leading from the arid lowlands to the mountain springs.

The tortoise is a very thirsty creature, though it can live a long time without water. When it wants it, however, it wants it badly and goes after it regardless of distance. The Galapagos islands are so dry that sometimes the only water on them is in springs in

IN CAPTIVITY.

the mountains miles inland. The tortoises travel to these springs in droves or flocks. Darwin rode upon one's back for awhile, but could not keep his balance very well. Darwin said it was a strange sight to see them following the track, moving to and from the springs. About the springs there were always two lines of them, one having had its drink and traveling away and the other, the thirsty line, going to the springs. He wanted to see how fast they could travel and found the distance to be from three to eight miles a day, according to how long the tortoise stopped to eat and browse on vegetable growths. The creature when going anywhere never stops till it gets there, so that, traveling night and day, a tortoise can make perhaps four miles in twenty-four hours. Still, it does its best. If it gave up discouraged because it cannot go fast it would die of thirst.

Not long ago an exploring party visited the Galapagos islands and captured twenty-five giant tortoises. Some of them were the largest specimens ever taken, and the heaviest one weighed 527 pounds. To lift one of them required eight men. Some of them were found in the craters of extinct volcanoes. They were brought to San Francisco and placed in the Natural History museum. One or two of them had a carapace over four feet long. A carapace is the shell on the tortoise's back. Its under shell is called a plastron. These big creatures have a scary looking way of stretching their necks up till their heads are between two and three feet above the ground.

And it is said the biggest of them must be 2,000 years old, though one wonders how anybody knows that. Anyway, nobody ever knew a tortoise to die of old age.

What ship is best for the voyage of life? Friendship.

Dickie Dawdle-so's Father Gets Work For Him.

By KATE E. JAMIESON.

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Dickie Dawdle-so's natural inclination
Was to loaf throughout his long vacation;
But his father, knowing his fondness to shirk,
Determined to put lazy Dickie to work.

Mr. Manking, the grocer, was Dickie's employer;
His store on the corner of Main street and Doyer.
Dick, late the first morning, was sent home by Manking,
And his father, disgusted, gave Dick a sound spanking.

WHAT BOYS SHOULD KNOW.

A philosopher has said that true education of boys is to "teach them what they ought to know when they become men."

1. To be true and to be genuine. No education is worth anything that does not include this. A man would better not know how to read and be true and genuine in action rather than be learned in all sciences and in all languages and be at the same time false in heart and counterfeit in life. Above all things teach the boys that truth is more than riches, power or possessions.

2. To be pure in thought, language and life—pure in mind and body.

3. To be unselfish. To care for the feelings and comforts of others. To be generous, noble and manly. This will include a genuine reverence for the aged and for things sacred.

4. To be self reliant and self helpful even from childhood. To be industrious always and self supporting at the earliest possible age. Teach them that all honest work is honorable; that an idle life of dependence on others is disgraceful.

When a boy has learned these things, when he has made these ideas part of him, however poor or however rich, he has learned the most important things he ought to know.

A New Definition.

A boy in one of our public schools having been told that a reptile "is an animal that creeps" being asked the name of one promptly replied, "A baby."

THE BRIGHT SIDE.

Nanny has a hopeful way,
Bright and busy Nanny.
When I cracked the cup today,
She said in her hopeful way:
"It's only cracked. Don't fret, I pray."
Sunny, cheerful Nanny!

Nanny has a hopeful way!
Quite right, little Nanny.
Cups will break and crack alway;
Fretting doesn't mend or pay.
Do the best you can, I say,
Busy, loving Nanny!

The Unwelcome Guest.

Young hopeful has overheard his mother discussing what gentle hint would be best for the removal of their long staying guest.

Mother—Bobbie, darling, whatever are you doing?

Bobbie—Hush, mother. I've stamped and addressed him, and you can send him back by the next mail.

All That Was Necessary.

A class in a Sunday school was listening to a lesson on patience. The topic had been carefully explained, and the teacher had given each pupil a card bearing the picture of a boy fishing.

"Even pleasure," said she, "requires the exercise of patience. Look at the boy fishing. He must sit and wait and wait. He must be patient." Having treated the subject very fully, she began with the simplest, most practical question, "And now can any little boy tell me what we need most when we go fishing?"

With one voice was the answer shouted, "Bait!"

Did Him Up.

His Mother—What are you moping about the house for, Tommy? Why don't you go over and play with Charley Pinafore?

Tommy—'Cause I played with Charley Pinafore yesterday, and I don't s'pose he's well enough yet.

NASHUA GIRLS

Held Man Prisoner for an Hour

HE HAD BEATEN AND KICKED A BOY

Made His Escape in a Boat

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 7.—A crowd of girls, armed with rotten eggs, decayed fruit and the like, held a prisoner for an hour last evening, Fred Shores, aged about 25, and employed in the Campbell box factory on Water street.

The girls allege that Shores had some trouble during the afternoon with a small boy, and that he beat and kicked the lad.

So angry were the girls that they sent some of their number out to purchase bad fruit, rotten eggs, etc., with which to pelt Shores when he left the shop.

Shores learned of the girls' intentions and did not come out. The girls waited until after 7 o'clock without getting a sight of their intended victim. Hundreds of spectators gathered to watch the fracas.

Meantime a brother of Shores attempted to gain admission to the shop to confer with him.

One of the girls tried to hold the door closed, and it is alleged that Shores' brother pushed her out of the way. Thereupon the crowd made a rush for him. He was roughly handled and was struck a blow which set his mouth bleeding. He hastened away to get police protection to take his brother from the shop.

Shortly after 7 o'clock the imprisoned man signaled to a friend who secured a boat and rowed to the rear of the shop, which was out of sight of the waiting girls.

Shores is said to have jumped from a window into the boat and rowed across the Nashua river to a place of safety.

About this time the police arrived and the girls and the big crowd of the curious dispersed.

CANNOT GET WORK

DAVIS WANTS TO BE RETURNED TO PRISON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Hungry, with his last cent gone, Charles J. Davis, under sentence for forgery in Illinois, who had violated the parole under which he was released from prison, gave himself up yesterday and asked to be taken back, as he had no hope of making an honest living. Inability to get work at his trade as a stone cutter because he was not a member of a union, is the reason, he declares, for his despondency.

Davis said that he was sentenced to an indeterminate period of from one to 14 years in December, 1897, for forging pay checks on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad. Because of good behavior he was paroled after serving 14 months. He failed to report one month, was rearrested and returned to prison, where he served nine months more and was again released. He kept his parole for a while, but finally drifted to this city. Davis will be held until the Illinois authorities are heard from.

DENT FUND

BALANCE OF $1025 REWARD TO BE DISPOSED OF.

A meeting of the Arthur Dent fund committee was held last evening with only four members present, namely, Col. Alfred M. Chadwick, Secretary William Morris, D. W. Bugbee and ex-Councilman James Walker.

This representation was only about one-fourth of the general committee which was chosen some two years ago to devise means to find the body of little Arthur Dent who was at that time missing from his home and has not since been found. Considerable money was collected and expended by the committee in its endeavors to locate any trace of the unfortunate boy, but all its efforts were futile. The meeting last evening was called for the purpose of determining what should be done with the balance of the fund, some $1025. As a majority of the committee was not present it was thought better that the meeting should adjourn until next Thursday evening when it is hoped a full attendance will be present.

QUINCY SCARED

ON ACCOUNT OF A MAGAZINE THERE.

In Quincy Monday night at a meeting of the city council, leave to withdraw was reported on the petition of Harold L. Bond & Co., for permission to sell dynamite and gunpowder. This is the company which maintains a magazine in West Quincy, in which, it is said, four tons of dynamite are stored. It expected an ordinance restricting the amount of dynamite to be kept in magazines, to a ton would be passed, but no action was brought up.

C. T. A. U. OFFICERS

HARTFORD PRIEST WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE UNION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 7—Yesterday afternoon's session of the C. T. A. U. closed with the election of officers and the selection of St. Louis as the place for holding the next annual session. The officers elected are:

President, Rev. Walter J. Shanley, Hartford.

First vice-president, Walter J. Gibbons, Chicago.

Second vice-president, Rev. John G. Brane, Pittsburg.

Third vice-president, Mrs. Leonora M. Lake, St. Louis.

Secretary, J. Washington Logue, Philadelphia.

Treasurer, Rev. J. J. Curran, Wilkesbarre.

The union adopted as an emblem of the order a picture of an angel standing before an humble cottage. The angel has in its right hand a sword, while with the [illegible] it points to intemperance-remain

MOTHER AGREED

Burt Cushing and Miss Hamm Married

By Associated Press to The Sun

TILTON, N. H., Aug. 7.—Cupid wins, and to the old saying that "love laughs at locksmiths" may be added that he also makes light of a mother's "don't."

Wednesday night pretty Lena Hamm, the 16-year-old girl whose elopment was interrupted by the Tilton and Manchester police last week, was married to Burt Cushing, the lusty young farmhand who refused to take "No" for an answer from the young lady's mother, when the girl herself was willing.

The ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace Walter C. Wyatt of Tilton at his office on Main street, and the girl's mother, who, at first urged the police to use every effort to prevent her daughter from marrying Cushing, was a willing witness.

Miss Hamm and Mr. Cushing left Tilton at midnight last Friday night, and taking a carriage to Franklin boarded the early morning train for Manchester, where they intended to get married.

Mrs. James Hamm, the girl's mother, who opposed the match because of the girl's youth, had Officer William P. Lang of Tilton wire the Manchester police as soon as she learned of the flight of her daughter, to hold the girl under arrest or else send her home.

Miss Hamm came back to Tilton and was met at the train Saturday night by her mother and the two drove to their home at Salisbury.

Cushing was not discouraged, however, and he followed on the next train from Manchester and hastened to Salisbury. His persuasive eloquence soon won the mother's consent, for yesterday Mrs. Hamm and her daughter and her prospective son-in-law appeared at Town Clerk Harris M. Morse's office in Tilton and the marriage intention papers were made out.

Cushing did not let any grass grow under his feet, and in less than two hours the three had found Justice of the Peace Wyatt, who quickly tied the nuptial knot.

The couple will live in Tilton, and Cushing, who is 24, will resume his work as head farm hand at Ora G. Ladd's big farm.

"JACK THE HUGGER"

YOUNG WOMAN SLAPPED HIS FACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DOVER, N. H., Aug. 7.—A "Jack the Hugger" has begun terrorizing young women here by stepping up to them as they are passing some dark place, grasping their arm and telling them he will see them home.

Two young women were approached in this way Wednesday evening, one on Central avenue, near the First Parish church and the other on Chapel street, in the vicinity of the dump.

In each case the young woman slapped the face of her assailant and ran. The police were notified and are investigating the affair.

MRS. HAND DIVORCED

JUDGE ALLOWS HER A SEPARATE MAINTENANCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 7.—The sensational Hand divorce case was decided here yesterday by Mr. Justice Tillinghast, who handed down a decree in the supreme court finding a divorce for Mrs. Michael Hand, Jr., wife of the millionaire Pawtucket brewer.

Mrs. Hand receives $70 a week, the custody of her four children, free use of the house in which she now lives with light, fuel, etc., use of the family carriage four times a week and a competent coachman.

The divorce is known as separate maintenance and leaves a chance for the parties to become reunited.

In his decision Justice Tillinghast finds that the allegation of extreme cruelty brought by Mrs. Hand is sustained by the evidence, and that the charge of continued drunkenness, against which defendant fought strenuously, is not sustained.

The court suggests, however, that so long as Mr. Hand indulges in liquor, even occasionally, it is not safe for Mrs. Hand to live with him.

CLOSING RACES

GOOD GOING AT THE BREEDERS' MEET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BANGOR, Me., Aug. 7—Good racing characterized the closing day of the Eastern Breeders' meet at Maplewood park yesterday. The 2:25 trot and 2:21 pace were hotly contested. The summary:

Trotting, foals of 1900 and under, open class, purse $300. Oakley Baron, br s, by Baron Oakes, won; Scobies Maid, b m, second. Best time, 2:35¼.

2.21 pace, purse $300. Bennie, bg. by Prescott, won; Beatrice Greely, second; Doccaro, bg. third. Best time, 2:17¼.

2.30 trot, purse $300. Harvard, ch g, by Golden Slope, won; Mountain Boy, bg, second; Glory, bg, third. Best time, 2:25¾.

2.25 trot, purse $300. Fairview Chimes, br g, by Chimes, won; Ruby Wilkes, bm, second; Don Wilkes, bg, third. Best time, 2:22¾.

NON-UNION BAND

CAUSING TROUBLE FOR FALL RIVER'S LABOR DAY PARADE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 7.—At a meeting of the Central Labor union last night the plan of the weavers' association to hire a certain non-union band of New Bedford for the Labor Day parade here, was warmly debated. A protest against such action was entered by the Musicians' union, which declared that its members would withdraw from the parade if the band was allowed to take part. The weavers' delegates said that they had tried to get a union band but were unable to do so and had hired a non-union organization. A heated discussion occupied two hours.

In defence of the New Bedford band it was stated that its members had been unfairly treated. This band and another New Bedford band had tried unsuccessfully to form a union. Then a third band of that city, without notifying the first mentioned bands, had gone ahead and organized a union and elected officers. Members of the first band thereupon refused to join and have been acting independently. A committee of three was finally appointed to confer with members of the non-union band and endeavor to persuade them to join the New Bedford union.

The committee will report Aug. 30.

BIGAMY CHARGE

Haverhill Man Finds Himself in Trouble

FALSE FRIEND CAUSE OF HIS TROUBLE

Defendant Thought First Wife Was Dead

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVERHILL, Aug. 6.—Giuseppe Montanaro was held in $500 bonds for the superior court by Judge Abbott in the district court yesterday on a charge of polgamy.

Over in Italy, sheltered among the hills, is the little town of Nola. In 1886 two young people of the town, both popular among their peasant kind, wooed and wed. They were Montanaro and Maria Concetta Napolitano. Far away there lived another lover, who had been unsuccessful in his wooing, but who did not give up all hope.

Giuseppe came to America to better his fortunes but later heard that his wife and child were dead.

This announcement dampened Giuseppe's ambitions and marred his happiness but he continued to struggle.

The false friend, for such he had proven himself, knew the result of his work and bided his time. After being apparently forsaken, Maria, who was yet alive, accepted his attentions. In America Giuseppe was living and toiling, with no hopes or ambitions, until he saw Rosana Romano of this city. Rosana was pretty and young and they grew to like each other. The liking ripened into love and finally, March 9, 1896, they went to the office of City Clerk Roberts and were married.

One day Rosana became suspicious that she was not Giuseppe's legal wife. She wrote to Italy, and in response there came an official climax in the form of a statement from the consul that Maria and her child were yet alive and that the report concerning her death was false.

From consul to consul the word was sent back, and again to Rosana in Haverhill came the word of the former marriage and of the existence of the first wife and her child, and then, after weeks of delay, the warrant for Giuseppe's arrest was issued and Wednesday night he was taken into custody by Patrolman Barrett.

He appeared in the district court yesterday. He was charged with polygamy and pleaded not guilty. City Solicitor Essex Abbott appeared for him and waived examination, the case being one within the jurisdiction of the superior court.

$100,000,000 INCREASE

IN THE PAY OF RAILROAD EMPLOYES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—The sum of $100,000,000 was said yesterday by Slason Thompson, editor of the Railway News, to represent the increase of the pay rolls of the railroads in the United States in the last year.

"Some of this, probably $50,000,000," he said, "is due to the natural increase of the business of the country; but the balance comes from the concerted action of the unions, particularly of the conductors and trainmen, in asking for and securing increases in pay.

"This movement, to which the Rock Island is the latest to yield, began a year ago in Kansas City.

"The Rock Island was reluctant to grant the desired increase, and did so only after a referendum vote of its employes showed that the men were firm in their demands."

EWEN ATTACKED

At Trial of Jett and White

By Associated Press to The Sun

CYNTHIANA, Ky., Aug. 7.—In the case of the commonwealth against Jett and White, the defence yesterday put Henry F. Wilson, a drummer of this place, on the witness stand to prove the existence of a large hole in the floor of the court house at Jackson. Curtis Jett and Thomas White were recalled and asked by the defence to go to the farther end of the court house and stand side by side with their backs to the jury and their hats on. This is upon the theory of the defence that they looked much alike and so nearly the same height that at several yards they could not be told apart.

Captain Golden, one of the attorneys, announced that the defence rested as to evidence in chief. The afternoon session was taken up in witnesses introduced to impeach Captain B. J. Ewen.

Some 25 witnesses from his own county and other witnesses from Powell county, where he resided until he moved to Jackson, some ten years ago, testified that his morality was bad, as well as his reputation for truthfulness. Others testified that he was a church-goer and never drank whiskey or gambled. Many of them appeared to be confused on cross examination.

Joseph Bruner, who testified for the defence in the first trial, was called by the prosecution in rebuttal, and said that Ewen did tell him that he knew who killed Marcum.

BUTLER VETS

GETTING READY FOR THE SALEM MUSTER.

The Butler Vets will not take in the muster at Manchester today, as they are now concentrating all their energy upon preparations for the big league muster at Salem the 20th inst. At that time it is expected to induce the mayor and a large contingent to accompany them on to victory.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

The Bon Marche

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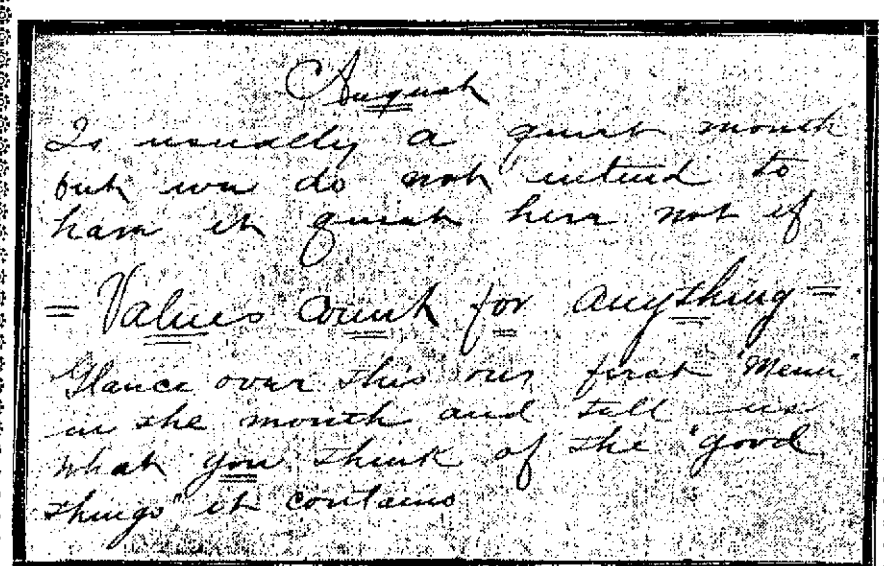

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Economy in the

Underwear Section

"Harvard Mills" Union Suits. These garments have always sold for 50c. High neck, silk taped, button front, short sleeves and knee pants, also all our 50c Jersey Vests and Pants.

Friday and Saturday **39c** A Garment

Do you want a Pretty

Cover for the Center Table

A special showing this week of a 36x36 Table Cover with linen ground and embroidered work of white mercerized cotton. The designs are very handsome. The combination of white and linen forms a contrast at once striking yet modest and refreshing in their color scheme. You'll find these covers in the art department and

The Price is only **49c each**

Notice Special Window Display.

A Toothsome Morsel

Fruit Bon Bons

Worth 15c lb.

Today and Tomorrow **10c lb.**

Do you want a

White Shirt Waist

At a Very Little Price?

If you do, here's the place to get it. We have about 25 dozen that go on sale this morning. The price is little, so little that if we could reproduce a facsimile of the various styles on this page the 25 dozen would be gone before the afternoon edition went to press. There are Waists in the lot worth $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50.

The Price now is **98c**

Toilet Articles

Only One Each to a Customer

Mennen's Borated Talcum Powder. 14c.

Woodbury's Facial Soap 16c cake.

Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet soap 11c cake.

Aluminum Soap Boxes 9c each.

Eastman's "Yerong Violet" Talcum Powder 10c.

Wire Hair Brushes 7c each.

Cuticura Soap, large size, 15c cake.

Wm. N. Howell's "Witch Hazel" 9c bottle.

Eastman's "Verona Violet" Talcum 25c "Violet Smelling Salts" 9c box.

Roger & Gallet's Rice Powder 16c package.

Colgate's Violet Toilet Water 10c bottle.

Sachet Powder in packages 5c package.

"Satin Skin" Cream 21c jar.

Wm. Campbell's Almond Cream 19c bottle.

Bailey's Rice Powder 5c package. package.

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Another Snap in the

Corset Section

IN CORSETDOM

The name "American Lady" is synonymous with comfort and style. Women who have worn these Corsets will wear no other make. This has been proven time and time again. We do not mean to say that the "American Lady Corsets" are the only good Corsets on the market; no indeed, but we do say that there are none better. However

THIS IS OUR STORY

We are the only distributers of "American Lady Corsets" in Lowell, and when the makers have a special lot, naturally they favor us. That is the case in this instance. They have just sent us 50 doz. that we shall sell at

Half Price and Less Than the Half Price of the Regular Goods

In the lot are short, medium and long Corsets, in batistes, satine and coutil, not old absolete styles but just what you would buy in our regular stock. Not a Corset in the lot worth less than $1.00; some worth $1.25 and $1.50. You can

Choose now at **59c Pair**

(On Sale in front of Elevator.)

Notice Window Exhibition.

Are you going away? Perhaps your wardrobe needs replenishing. Here are three good things in

UNDERMUSLINS

WHITE SKIRTS

These Skirts were bought to sell for $1.25, but we are going to make them a leader for Friday and Saturday. The cotton is excellent quality, the sizes full and generous. They have a 15-in. flounce edged with 8-in. Hamburg; the top is trimmed with 6 rows of hemstitched tucks. All in all the value is invincible.

The Price for Friday and Saturday will be **98c**

CORSET COVERS

This cover is our "Special" Twenty-five Cent Garment, a leader in its class; the material is good quality cambric, the neck and arms size are edged with lace and 2 rows of lace insertion finishes the front; the style is French.

And the Price only **25c**

DRAWERS

These garments always sell for 25c. They are made from good cotton. The bottom has 4-in. ruffle with trimmings of hemstitched tucks.

The Price for Friday and Saturday **19c Pair**

A SPLENDID VALUE IN

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We don't see how they do it; we don't, indeed. The elastic by the yard would cost as much, yes more, than the completed article is with buckles and holders, but that isn't our lookout nor yours, is it? The elastic is a fancy frill, in assorted colors.

The Price **10c Pair**

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Mme Allidah

Assisted by Mme Katherine

Your character is stamped on your palm as indelibly as a tattoo on a seaman. To a scientic Reader it is a photograph of your life on which the lines of fate stand out clearly and distinctly.

It is, therefore, with pleasure that we recommend to our patrons these great scientific Palmists, Mme. Allidah and Mme. Katherine. Your past, present and future read for you in a manner that leaves no doubt in your mind that these women are indeed queens of palmistry.

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Reading Booths Rear of Millinery Dep't.

3 Winners—You'll find them in the

BASEMENT SECTION

LINEN TOWELS.

All linen, too (not the kind that have floated by a flax patch and liking the looks thereof assumed the name "linen.") These are the genuine article, not the finest quality, but excellent for the price. The size is 18x36, good heavy weight with fast color, red border

This Lot 4 for 25c

Did you ever buy a Linen Towel for less than 12 ½c?

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Blue and Red, oil-boiled colors, venetian patterns, size 24x24. This Lot 8c each

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Merrimack and Allen Prints, not Remnants, but full pieces, light and dark colors, the dark colors are worth 6 ¼c.

Choice of either 5c yard

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps

Here's a good thing in

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We are overstocked in our 50c grades of Women's Hose. To effect a quick reduction we have made a very low price on them for Friday and Saturday. The assortments include LACE and FANCY EFFECTS in black and colors, and the price will be

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It is called "KING COCOA"; a pressed castile toilet soap, guaranteed absolutely pure; made from the finest selected COCHIN COCOA OIL; 8 full ounces of absolute purity in every cake.

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We know this garment is a crack-a-jack, for we judge by the way it has sold, and we have only had it in stock a week. This is the first time, however, we have given it publicity. The material is a fine spun glass cloth with very high lustre; the sizes are not skimped, rather the reverse; the bottom is finished with deep accordion plaited flounce, headed with 2 in. pinking, and the

Price is only **98c**

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Light weight and good patterns, full sizes, worth 29c, now 15c each.

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Heavy and light weight webs, leather and mohair ends. Regular 25c grade, 14c pair.

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The "Hooper Knit" fast black, spliced heel and toe; seconds of the 1st quality; sell for 25c. These are 9c pair.

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Inconsistent.

He—You are a cruel, heartless creature.

She — How absurd! A moment ago you said I had stolen your heart, and now you say I haven't any.

Love.

He—Think twice, love, before you refuse me.

She—Why should I think twice?

He—Because, my dear, a woman never thinks twice the same.

Error in Art.

"Silence!" said a critic in an art gallery, reading an inscription. "The idea of representing silence by a woman!"

Wary.

Doctor—Put out your tongue.

Little Tommy—No fear. I did that to the teacher yesterday and got an awful whipping.

WELL CAST.

Slowboy (sighing)—The salt air makes me feel like a two-year-old!

Gaygirl (archly)—Well, you certainly act like one.

PLAYED TOO WELL.

Actor—He can play "drunken parts" better than any one in the profession.

Manager—Yes, but the trouble is he is too fond of rehearsing.

AS TO DRINKS.

Gladys—They tell me Mr. Bangs drinks terribly.

Gwennie—Oh, horribly! He pours it out in his saucer every time.

WHERE HE FAILED.

"He says that he can marry any girl he pleases."

"He can. But he never pleases one."

His Fatal Error.

"Of course I will be homelier some day," she whispered.

"Impossible," he replied gallantly. And he marvels that she sent his presents back.

His Attitude.

"I fear," said the tutor, "that you are not up on mathematics."

"No," candidly confessed the scion of the plutocratic house, "I am down on 'em."

Peace.

Wife—Oh, John, the baby's got a tooth!

Husband—Well, I hope he'll be satisfied now. He's been crying for it long enough.

Good Reason.

"What makes men with money so scarce?"

"The men who try to borrow from them."

HAD HIM THERE.

He: "We must economize. Suppose, darling, that you try your hand at making your own clothes."

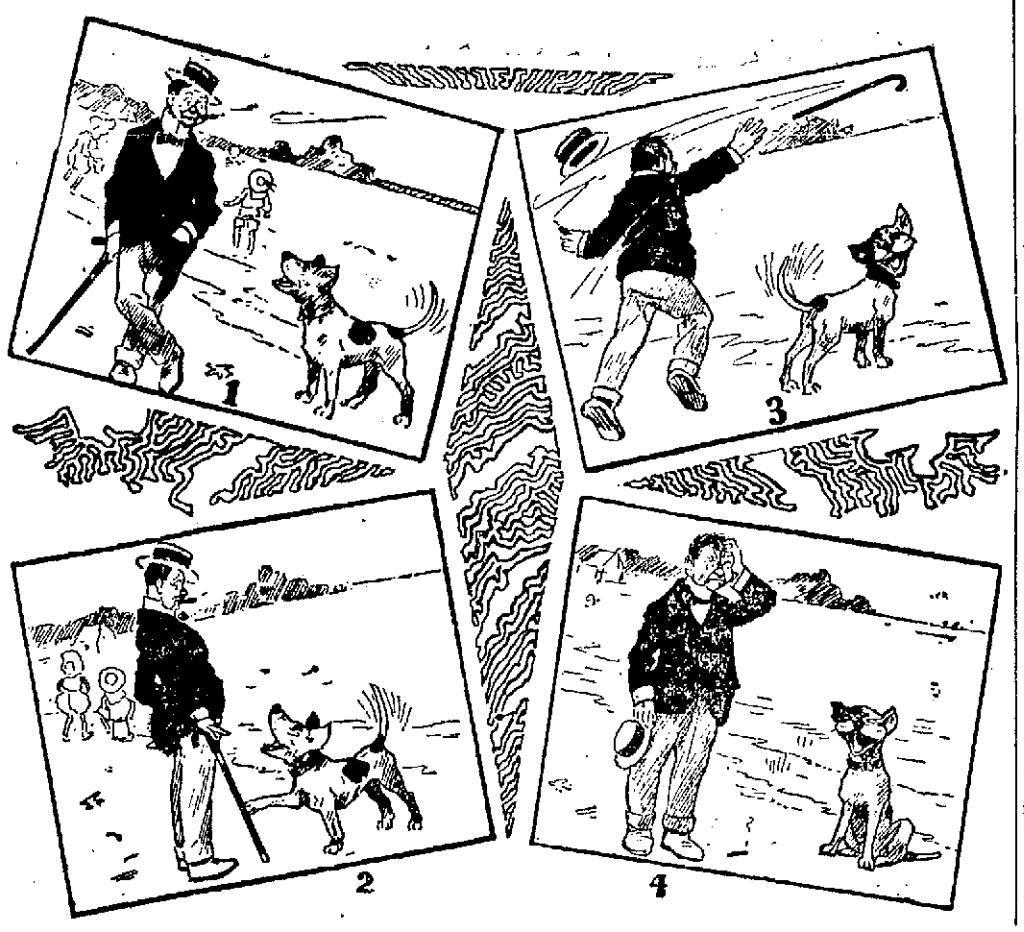
She: "Oh, George, dear, I never could do that! Suppose I begin by trying to make yours."

ASK AND SEE.

He: "What would you say if I were to ask you to be my wife?"

She: "Oh, I know well enough. I made up my mind about that long ago. But there'll be time enough to tell you when you ask."

FIDO'S LITTLE JOKE.



PROMPT ANSWER.

Amateur Conjurer—Has any gentleman in the audience an egg?

One gentleman had, and the conjurer promptly got it.

LOVE'S SACRIFICE.

"Are you sure you love my daughter?"

"Love her? When I'm with her, and mosquitoes bite me, I don't even know it."

QUITE NATURAL.

"Do you think the photographer flattered her?"

"I suppose so. Every one does."

EVERYTHING IS.

"De Broke seems to have troubles of his own."

"I guess you don't know De Broke."

"Why not?"

"He'd have 'em in his wife's name."

FARMER JONES SHOWS HIS WAY OF DOING IT.

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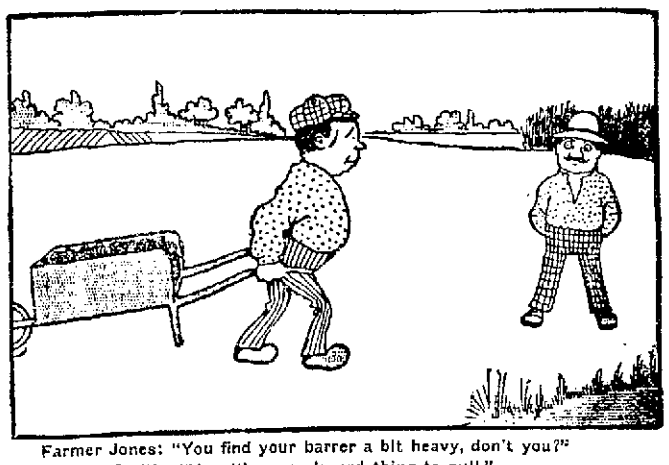

Farmer Jones: "You find your barrer a bit heavy, don't you?"

Farmer Smith: "Yes, it's an awkward thing to pull."

Farmer Jones: "Ah! that's because you—

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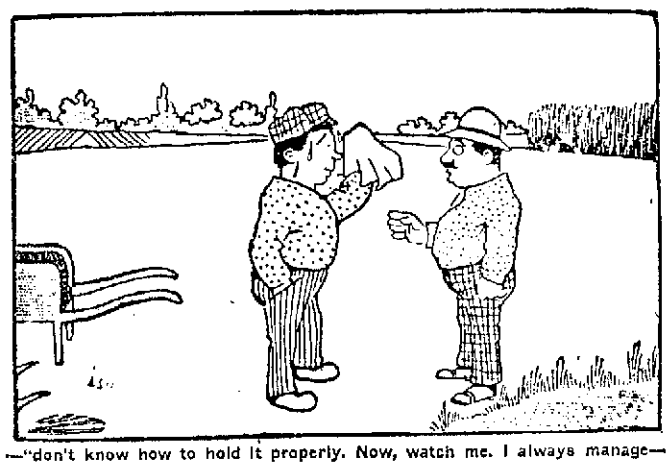

—"don't know how to hold it properly. Now, watch me. I always manage—

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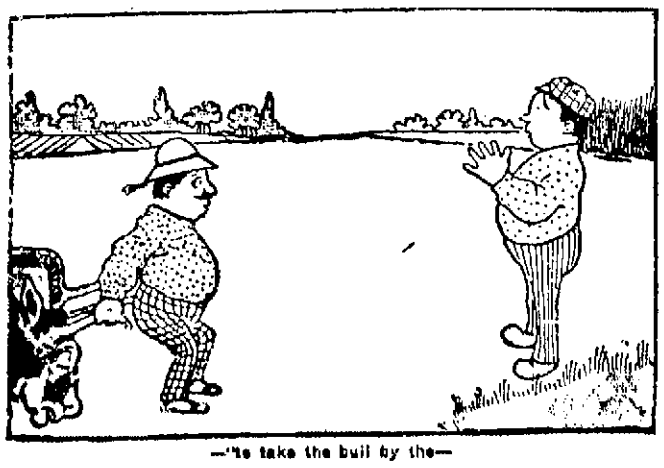

—"to take the bull by the—

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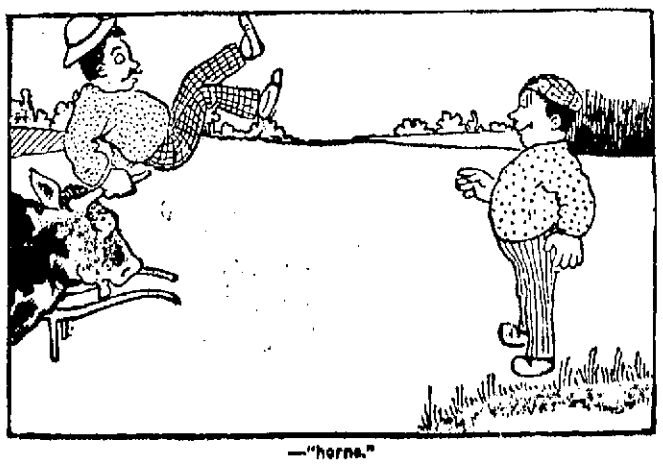
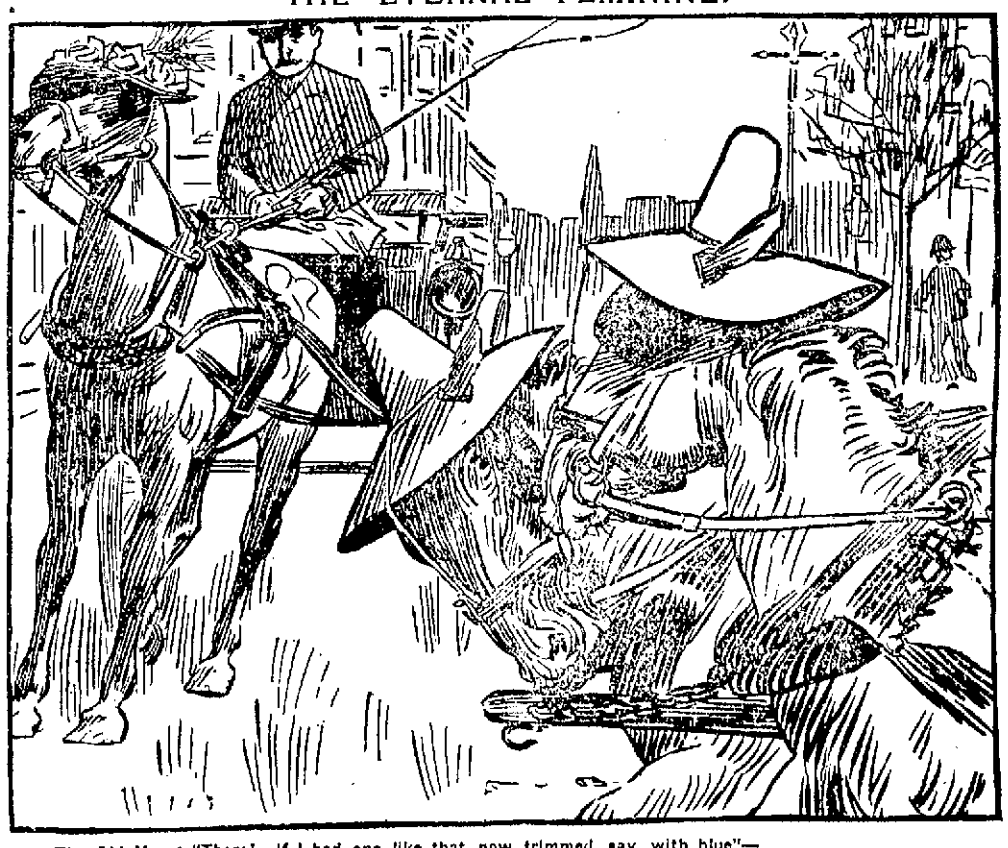


—"horns."

THE ETERNAL FEMININE.



The Old Mare: "There! If I had one like that, now, trimmed, say, with blue"—

Old Dobbin: "Dash my blinkers, my dear! These hats are making you giddier than the sun would have done."

THE CAUSE.

"What's the matter with Bingley?"

"Lung complaint."

"Twins?"

"No. Triplets."

A DIFFERENCE IN TERMS.

"She plays the piano a great deal, doesn't she?"

"It may be play for her, but for us it is far more serious."

SO SAYS THE PROVERB.

Maude—I suppose you love your fiance from the bottom of your heart?

Edyth—Of course. But then there is always room at the top, you know.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.43	6.50	6.00	7.07
6.22	7.42	6.30	7.26
e6.33	7.36	7.34	8.54
6.43	7.53	8.25	9.05
e7.05	8.02	e7.00	8.38
e7.21	8.10	9.25	9.57
7.31	8.56	e10.00	10.37
7.45	8.55	10.17	11.34
8.55	9.40	e11.30	12.07
9.40	10.40	12.00	12.56
11.00	12.03	e1.00	1.38
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s12.14	1.00	2.00	3.01
1.40	2.50	e3.00	3.38
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3.08	4.20	4.14	5.30
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4.02	4.45	5.38	6.26
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e7.19	8.00	10.30	11.34
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SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
e6.30	7.30	e.00	10.07
7.24	8.10	1.06	1.57
8.45	9.40	5.00	5.59
9.30	10.12	e7.30	8.08
s4.25	5.30	e8.30	9.08
s5.38	7.00	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.54	8.25	10.33
9.25	e9.39	e9.45	11.41
10.50	12.02	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.33	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.38	4.65
2.30	3.44	4.25	5.43
3.10	4.10	4.58	6.30
3.55	5.04	6.04	7.05
5.06	6.43	6.35	7.48
6.15	7.15	8.38	10.40
7.00	8.06	B11.15	12.15
8.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.26	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.25
5.30	6.55	8.40	9.40
8.45	9.45		

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LOCAL NEWS

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WHITE CROSS CONVENTION AT OLD ORCHARD AUGUST 17 TO 21—REDUCED RATES VIA BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD.

The White Cross Convention will be held at Old Orchard, Me., August 17 to 21, inclusive.

A large convention is expected and a first-class program has been arranged.

Round trip tickets at reduced rates good going August 17 to 24 inclusive and returning August 18 to 25 inclusive, will be on sale at this station and principal stations on the Boston & Maine railroad.

For list of stations and rates, see Boston & Maine posters or inquire of agent.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

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PATHETIC SCENE

Mother's Heart Wrung at Girl's Shame

DAUGHTER WAS SENT TO THE REFORMATORY

On a Charge of Night Walking

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 7.—There was a sensational and pathetic scene in the second session of the municipal court late yesterday afternoon at the conclusion of the trial of two young women who were accused of being nightwalkers, when Judge Burke sentenced them to the reformatory for women at Sherborn, and the mother of one of them fainted in the court room, came out of the faint to go into a series of hysterics, which so affected her daughter that she, too, became hysterical, and ended it up by fainting away as she was hurried out of the court room into the house of detention.

The defendants were Phoebe Cadoza, a beautifully formed Italian girl, who has wonderful black eyes, a magnificent head of jet black hair and a rich olive complexion, and Mary E. Flaherty, about 19 years old.

The Cadoza girl listened unmoved to the testimony given by division 1 patrolmen, who told of seeing her on the streets of the North End frequently, and of her going to hotels with different men.

She was arrested several months ago on complaint of her mother, who accused her at that time of being a stubborn child, and on that occasion Judge Burke placed her on probation on the understanding that her family should move away from Commercial street, where the girl was born and brought up. They moved the girl to the home of her brother-in-law at 377 Chelsea street, East Boston, but the evidence yesterday was to the effect that Phoebe had been in the habit of coming over to the city every night and staying out late.

There wasn't a sign of emotion on the young girl's face when the judge announced that he found her guilty, and told her she could take her choice between going voluntarily to the house of the Good Shepherd or of being sentenced to an indefinite term in the reformatory.

She said calmly enough that she would not go to the house of the Good Shepherd, so the judge ordered her committed to the reformatory. She appealed in a businesslike manner, and sat down in the dock.

Her old mother, who was sitting in the court room, didn't for a minute or so comprehend what the sentence meant, but when she did she moaned feebly and fell back across the seat she was occupying.

She came out of her faint as some of her friends picked her up to carry her to the women's waiting room outside the court and went into a violent condition of hysteria, during which she cried wildly for her "baby girl."

The cause of the old mother's anguish showed her first signs of feeling when she heard the older woman's lamentations, and began crying herself. The shrieks of the mother could be heard from the room to which she had been taken, and the girl became hysterical herself and was fairly screaming when she was taken out by a court officer, who hastened to get her back into the women's prison. Just as he got her through the door leading to the cells the girl collapsed entirely in a dead faint and had to be carried bodily into the prison.

Mary E. Flaherty, the Cadoza girl's companion in misery, also used to live in Commercial street, North End, but lives now, or has recently, on Mystic street, Orient Heights. She claims she is the wife of Patrick Flaherty, but that she has good reasons for not living with him.

She told the judge she would go to her mother and stay there if he would give her her freedom, but he sentenced her to the reformatory.

The Flaherty girl appealed and was crying as if her heart would break when she was led back to the prison.

Do You Know That the Celebrated West End Brand
FLOUR
is sold to the best family trade in this city by the
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Use a barrel and as long as you eat bread you will have no other.
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NO BLACKLIST

MARSHAL EATON DENIES STORY ABOUT NASHUA DRUNKS.

The Nashua Telegraph last evening published the following:

"An out-of-town paper today published a story that a black list had been started and that Marshal Eaton had notified the saloons that they were to sell no liquor to a man by the name of Rock. This brought forth a flat denial from the marshal this morning. He stated to the newspapermen at the police station that the publication was a gross prevarication.

The marshal said an inquiry had been made of him Wednesday regarding this and that he denied that there was such a thing as a black list here. He said that no complaints had been made to him regarding any drunkard.

CONCILIATION BOARD

OBLIGED TO APPEAL TO JUDICIAL COURT JUDGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 7.—The conciliation board appointed to adjust the differences between the anthracite miners and the operators yesterday, failed to agree on certain grievances, and made an appeal to the judges of the third judicial circuit of the United States court for the appointment of a seventh man or umpire. The questions in dispute will be referred to this umpire, whose decision will be final and binding on both parties.

The strike commission in its award creating the conciliation board directing that if its six members, three from each side, could not agree, an umpire should be named by one of the judges of the third judicial circuit of the United States. Judge Gray, who was president of the strike commission is one of the judges of the third circuit.

IS LIFE WORTH LIVING?
A great deal depends on the liver.
The joy of living, of feeling the rich, red blood leap through the veins; the quickening pulses, the enjoyment of the good things of life—all these blessings are denied to him who is a slave to his liver.
Your liver cannot work properly if your stomach and bowels are out of order—if you suffer from Constipation, Indigestion or Dyspepsia. Abbey's Salt of Fruits, a most pleasant tasting tonic laxative, aids digestion, acts gently on the bowels, cleanses the system and keeps the blood rich, the circulation perfect, the nerve centres keyed to the right tone and the whole anatomy aglow with the fire and the vigor of good health.
Two teaspoonfuls in a tumbler of water taken at bedtime or in the morning will meet with the unqualified approval of your liver, stomach and bowels and set you feeling right for the day.
Drug stores everywhere sell Abbey's Effervescent Salt—25c., 50c. and $1 per bottle. If you have never used it, let us send you a trial bottle free to-day. Address The Abbey Effervescent Salt Co., Ltd., 9 to 15 Murray St., New York City; 144 Queen Victoria St., London, Eng. or 712 Craig St., Montreal, Can.

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DIVORCE DECREE

Granted to Susie Mitchell Seeley

FORMER HUSBAND FIGURED IN CHAPMAN RAID

They Were Married Three Years Ago

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Mrs. Susie Mitchell Seeley, who married Herbert Barnum Seeley four years after the bachelor dinner at Sherry's was raided by Captain Chapman, has won an interlocutory decree of divorce, which has been granted by Supreme Court Justice Truax. Her husband, who inherited $444,444.44 from his grandfather P. T. Barnum, bitterly fought the case, appearing on the stand to testify against the charges brought by his wife.

It will be recalled that in 1896 Clinton B. Seeley was about to be married and his brother Herbert, who was his best man, concluded to give him a banquet as a send-off that would live in his memory forever. He did. But the trouble was that it lived in every other person's memory and the words "Seeley dinner," have become as standard as "Lucullus' feasts," and "Nero's banquets." Since the dinner Mr. Seeley came into his fortune, and since then it is said that his losses on the turf have been particularly heavy.

The referee's hearing of the divorce suit was held behind closed doors. None of the details of his wife's charges became public. Mr. Seeley took the stand in his own defence, denying all of his wife's allegations. It will be three months before the decree goes into effect.

The divorce comes at the end of only three years of married life. Mrs. Seeley was Miss Susie Mitchell, the daughter of a wealthy journalist, A. P. Mitchell.

Charges were made against Captain Chapman for making the famous raid, but they were dismissed by Theodore Roosevelt, who was then president of the police board.

About two years ago Seeley expressed a wish to have control of his own fortune and his brother and Mrs. Thompson turned over to him the $444,444.44 which was the balance due him.

He went into the brokerage business with his brother, but found the work too exacting and essayed to be a racehorse man. He purchased a number of horses but none of them had sufficient speed to make him a king of the turf. One of his horses, Sentry, was primed for a "killing," last year and all of his friends were given a tip to bet on Sentry. Sentry's lack of speed came near financially wrecking a lot of the young men with fortunes.

When the dinner indictment against him was dismissed he went to Cuba to fight Spaniards. When he came back he took the gold cure at White Plains and then went to Europe where he spent large sums in the continental gambling centres, being sued once for 16,000 francs lost at baccarat at Basle, Switzerland.

In his youth he entered West Point, but resigned upon being court-martialed. His friends say he has spent money so lavishly since taking his fortune in his own hands that now he has little of what was formerly his.

BALL FIELD ROMANCE

RECALLED BY DEATH OF MRS. RADBOURNE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 7—A baseball romance, which deeply interested the lovers of the sport here, was recalled this week by the death at Chicago of Mrs. Caroline Stanhope Radbourne, widow of the famous player of the Providence league team of 20 years ago.

There were many suitors for the hand of Carrie Stanhope when she was a resident of this city in the early 80s. She was attractive and a fashionable dresser, and her admirers were numerous among the baseball fraternity and the theatrical profession.

If there was one thing that Carrie Stanhope loved better than anything else it was a stubbornly fought game of baseball. She personally knew every man of the league teams, and many of them used to make their headquarters here at her big boarding house in lower Washington street.

Among the brilliant pitchers of those days was Charlie Radbourne. Charming Carrie Stanhope had captivated him, but she looked with more favor upon another player, a member of the old Chicago team, keen and persistent rivals of the grays.

This rivalry in love intensified the rivalry on the diamond, and one day before the Grays and the Chicago nine were to meet there was a good deal of cash wagered on the result at Carrie Stanhope's, and some one suggested in a spirit of fun that the game of the morrow should settle the rivalry between Radbourne and the Chicago man for the hand of Carrie.

That game has gone down in baseball annals as one of the fiercest ever played. Providence won and to Radbourne went the lion's share of the credit for the victory.

Seated in the grand stand among the frenzied crowd that shouted themselves hoarse yelling for "Rad" was a handsome, well-dressed woman. Intently she watched every play, and those nearby noticed a deadly pallor on her face as the deciding run was made.

Three persons met on the diamond near the home plate soon after and then was heard the remark, "She's yours, 'Rad,' for you won her and the game."

Soon there was a wedding and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Radbourne went to Illinois to live in the groom's home town. Radbourne died some time ago, and the widow went to Vernon avenue, Chicago, to pass the last of her days.

The maiden name of the bride thus won was Caroline Clarke and her home was at Newport, this state. She had been married in extreme youth to an engineer of that city, but there was a disagreement and then she made Providence her home, and divorce made it possible for her to wed the athletic and lucky Radbourne.

SOLD IN SLAVERY

Remarkable Story Told by a Girl

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 7—Miss Louise Haby, a 17-year-old girl, told yesterday a remarkable story of being sold as a baby for $25, into a life of bondage and of final rescue. Her father, she says, bartered her. Her place of slavery, she asserts, was a South Dakota ranch. She was compelled to do the roughest of a man's work and was forced to submit to all sorts of indignities.

For two months the young woman's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Mayer, 6322 Normal avenue, have been laying plans for her deliverance, and yesterday she arrived from Highmare, S. D., over the Northwestern road.

"Every neighbor within a radius of 10 miles from the ranch in which Miss Haby was held," said Mr. Mayer yesterday, "assisted in her escape. It was effected by relays of ranch owners with teams, each taking her so many miles and then delivering her to the next ranch owner.

"When she reached Chicago yesterday she was dressed in the garb of a South Dakota laborer. She wore a broad brimmed hat, a dress of one garment that covered her entire body, and brogan shoes heavier than those worn by any Chicago laborer."

Antonio Haby, the young woman's father who held a claim in South Dakota in the eighties, is declared to have sold the child when 2 years old to a man named Lemke for $25.

"From the time I was large enough," said Miss Haby, "I was made to do the work of a man on Lemke's ranch. I arose at 5 o'clock in the morning before the other members of the family. During cold winter evenings I would pump water for 60 cows from a well. For a short time—Sunday afternoon only—I would have an hour to myself."

FRIDAY, AUG. 7
TO BE A
Great Day at the "Daylight Store"
WHAT? WHAT? WHAT?
$15, $18, $20 fine suits, all the small lots found when we took account of stock; many of our best sellers, to be sold at
$9.75 a Suit
You can get a $15, $18 or $20 suit at this price—seems as if it would pay you to buy for next spring, if not in need now.
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DEATH RATE HIGH.

The death rate is pretty high this week and may surpass that of last week. Up to this morning there had been 57 deaths reported at the office of the board of health, while the total number for last week was 64.

Green Trading Stamp Sale
Prices Less Than Half and Stamps Given
22 Shirt Waist Suits in Chambrays and Linens, value $5, this sale $1.49
10 Silk Shirt Waist Suits value $16.50, this sale..... $7.50
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A clean, healthy fuel for your kitchen. Try a load of our DRY COARSE KINDLING WOOD. It is just the thing for light cooking or kindling coal fires. Postal or telephone orders will receive prompt attention.
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All Gorham street cars pass the yard.

THE PROOF
THAT OUR PRICES
—ON—
Refrigerators
Are at the lowest point, is shown by the way our big line was thinned out this week. We have some Popular Sizes Left and tomorrow will be the last day of our offer of extremely
Low Prices
Our next cut will be on prices of Baby Carriages, and will start
TOMORROW
A. E. O'Heir & Co.
16 Merrimack Street

WANT ANYTHING?
Ask and you shall receive; that is if you advertise in The Sun.

CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP SALE

The Greatest Sacrifice of the Year !!

We've Certainly Hit the Bottom
Other Great Reductions have been made—the inducements are bigger than ever—the prices are smaller than the clothing history of Lowell has any record of. On many lines of Men's Suits, Light and Heavy Overcoats, our unprecedented mark-down prices have reduced stocks 'way, 'way down, though assortments of sizes are still good. In order to close these lots at once we have still further clipped the prices at which we have sold such enormous quantities of them the past two weeks.

Other Great Reductions Have Been Made !!

STOP AND THINK
The sort of Clothing that smart dressers will appreciate. Hand tailored from the swellest, up-to-date and best quality fabrics. Right thinking men cannot resist.

All that remain of our Men's and Young Men's $8, $9 and $10 Outing Suits. TODAY and SATURDAY they go at just $4.95
Men's $18 and $20 Suits, TODAY and SATURDAY $9.75
Boys' D. B. 2-Piece Suits. Sold up to $3.50. Down to $1.65
Boys' 35c Knee Pants, down to 19 cents
About 150 Spring Top Coats, ten or twelve different styles, that have sold up to $12.00. To close TODAY and TOMORROW at $4.95
Men's $22 and $25 Suits, TODAY and SATURDAY $14.75
Children's $3 and $5 Vestee Suits, now $1.00
Boys' up to 16 years size Suits, that have sold up to $5 and $6. Down at choice for $2.95
About 300 men's Fine Worsted, Cheviot and Cassimere Suits, in light, medium and heavy weights, a large variety of different patterns, but of course not all sizes in each. Sold all through the season up to $16.50. To close at $7.75
Men's $4.50 and $5 Trousers. To close at $2.95
Men's $2 and $2.50 Trousers, now $1.00
All that remain of our 50c and 75c Men's Straw Hats, down to 19 cents

These Reduction Prices Shout!
FURNISHING GOODS
You'll Never Hear of Such Bargains Again

"Stag Brand" Custom Made $1 and $1.25 Negligee Shirts. Sale price 69c
Regular 50c and 75c Fine Madras Shirts, all styles, all sizes. Sale price 35c, 3 for $1
All that remain of our $1.50 and $2 Men's High-Class Shirts, go at choice for 89c
Men's 19c Suspenders .12 1-2c
Men's 37 1-2c Underwear 18c
Men's 50c Overalls 38c
Several good styles of 15c Linen Collars. 3c 2 for 5c
Midget Silk Bow Ties 7c Each
All our well-known Work Shirts, regular 50c kinds, now 39c
All our regular $1.50 Black Stiff and Soft Hats, now 89c
Genuine Lamson & Hubbard $3 Hats, Sale price $1.95
10c Collar Buttons 4 for 4c
25c, 50c and 75c Cuff Buttons, to close at 19c Pair

The present Owner Positively Retires from Business... and sells these goods at these sacrifices with only one object in view, and that object the conversion of this large stock into cash before the new firm takes possession, Sept. 1st.

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LOWELL ONE-PRICE CLOTHING CO.
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